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## EFFECT OF JAPANESE BLOCKADE ON COLONY

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—Mr. Alan Graham enquired in the House of Commons to-day whether Mr. Malcolm MacDonald's attention had been drawn to the action of the Japanese authorities in cutting off food supplies to Hongkong and the small ports on the mainland.

Mr. MacDonald replied that the food situation in Hongkong was being carefully watched by the Colonial Government. So far it had not been necessary for any special steps to be taken to secure supplies.

Either Violated Tokyo Formula Or  
Cannot Fulfil Her Responsibility

## The Value Of Japan's Word

LONDON, Aug. 2 (U.P.).—An official British spokesman, commenting on the intensified anti-British campaign in China, to-day declared that Japan has either violated the recent formula agreed upon as the basis for the Tokyo negotiations, or she has undertaken a responsibility under that formula which she appears unable to fulfil.

### JAPAN REMINDED

It is understood that in his most recent representations to Japan, the British Ambassador to Tokyo reminded the Japanese that Japan had assumed responsibility for the maintenance of Public order in areas under their control.

The British Prime Minister to-day denied that Britain has agreed to surrender the four Chinese in the Tientsin concession.

"No decision has been arrived at," he declared.

Also, he said, he had received no official information regarding the stripping of two British women.

### Opposition Strengthened

Meanwhile, it is believed that British opposition to Japan's currency demands has been strengthened after consultations with France and the United States.

It is reported that France has pledged her full support to Japan to surrender the silver held in foreign banks in the Tientsin concessions, while it is also believed that the United States has indicated strong opposition to foreign support for Japanese currency.

Tokyo's Cabinet meeting is understood to have discussed the advisability of denouncing the Anglo-Japanese trade treaty in the event of the Tokyo negotiations failing. However, Britain has made it clear that she desires to keep the conference as long as possible.

### Canadian Support

Britain is further encouraged by Canada's attitude towards denunciation of the treaty, despite the Dominion's heavy exports to Japan.

On the other hand, the enormous stake of Australian wool and Indian cotton exports to Japan accounts for the absence of enthusiasm from Australia and India regarding the denunciation.

Meanwhile, authentic information has revealed the growing disengagement of the Japanese militarists in the face of the uncertainty regarding a possible embargo of United States and British trade.

### London Inferences

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—Recurring anti-British demonstrations in North China, it was authoritatively stated here to-day that a preliminary agreement had been reached in Tokyo between the Japanese Foreign Minister and Sir Robert Craigie, on the understanding that the Japanese would maintain order in the occupied areas.

The continued demonstrations, however, prove that this is not the case, and as a result, the British Government has been compelled to draw one of two alternative references.

It must be presumed either that the Japanese authorities are not in a position to prevent these demonstrations, or that they are unwilling to do so.

If the last assumption is correct, the Japanese attitude would constitute a violation of the Arlascie agreement.

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## Noted Rugger Player Dies At Hankow

Shanghai, July 29.  
The death was reported in Shanghai yesterday of Dr. Carel, surgeon on board the French gunboat, Doudard de Lagree, who succumbed to illness at Hankow on July 18.

Only 20 years of age at the time of his death, Dr. Carel was well-known in Shanghai for his prowess on the rugger field captaining the French Forces XV last winter. In his native country, Dr. Carel was also prominent in rugger circles, representing France in several international matches.

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It is intended to pursue this claim vigorously.

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## Britons Do Not Suffer From Jitters—Greenwood

## CHAMBERLAIN PROMISES TO RECALL COMMONS IF NEEDED

## FLOOD DISASTER FEAR IN NORTH CHINA



### PACT WITH POLAND

#### Trade Agreement Signed In London

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—The Anglo-Polish export credit guarantee agreement was signed to-day by the Polish Ambassador and Mr. R. S. Hudson, Secretary for Overseas Trade.

The agreement provides for export credit of £1,163,000, and the system by which the credits will be extended will be the same as that adopted with Romania.

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### Official Communique

WARSAW, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—An official Polish communiqué on the conclusion of the Anglo-Polish loan negotiations was issued to-night.

It says that the Polish Government will receive commercial credit of £8,000,000 for raw materials and establishments for the production of war materials, and for the purchase of manufactured war material.

Interest is to be paid at five percent, and repayment is to be made within 18 years.

### Yugo-Slavia Credits

LONDON, Aug. 2 (U.P.).—Prince Paul and Princess Olga left for Yugoslavia at 2 p.m. to-day, after a three weeks' visit during which, it is reported, the Prince had discussions regarding the Anglo-Yugoslav relations, including credits for Yugoslavia.

## BIG TEA FIRM TO LIQUIDATE £522,000 Deficiency Reported

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—At a shareholders' meeting to-day, Messrs. Bunting and Company, the Empire's biggest tea brokers, decided to go into voluntary winding-up.

At a subsequent statutory meeting, a Creditors' Committee of Inspectors, consisting of the five principal creditors, was appointed. An approximate statement of affairs revealed that, as against liabilities of £503,583, there appears to be a deficiency of £522,263.

Value has been taken into the statement for the company's interest in subsidiary companies or for impending claims against the English and Scottish Joint Co-Operative Wholesale Society, Ltd.

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## 8,000 Troops For Malaya

SINGAPORE, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—At least 8,000 troops are being sent to Malaya from India, it is understood on reliable authority.

The first units are arriving next week, and the reinforcements are likely to remain for some time.

While some will be stationed in Singapore, a considerable proportion will be sent to Penang, which is assuming the role of a new fortress guarding the western approach to Singapore.

## CRISIS IN EUROPE

### Watch Kept On Events In Danzig

WARSAW, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—The Polish authorities are closely watching what appears to be the development of a movement in Danzig to try economic methods of bringing about the incorporation of the Free City and the Reich.

The régime ruled in Danzig against Poland's action in withdrawing customs inspectors from the margarine factory, and restricting the importation of Danzig herring is regarded as significant.

Polish circles are quick to point out that any attempt to open a customs frontier with East Prussia, about which there have been made, in some Danish carters, would constitute a unilateral change in the status of the Free City which Poland could not tolerate.

The press declares that reprisals are not called for, since Poland's action is taken in consequence of Danzig's treatment of Polish customs officials.

It is emphasised that repeated protests in this connection have been unavailing.

### Axis Troop Movements

PARIS, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—The French press to-day comments at length on the Italian army manoeuvres in the Po Valley and also upon the forthcoming manoeuvres of the German army in the eastern part of the Reich.

The "Intransigent" declares that the Italian military manoeuvres must be considered as a demonstration intended to prove that Italy could repel an offensive by a French army.

According to a Rome report, France's fortification, including the Maginot Line could be broken in the view of Signor Gaynor, the well-known army commander.

It says that people on the other side of the Alps are convinced that the French fortifications in that area and the Maginot Line form an impassable barrier, but this view is not shared by Germany and Italy, although these two countries naturally are aware of the usefulness of the fortifications.

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"What guarantees have we when our backs are turned that the Government will not throw in its lot with the triple alliance between France, Russia and ourselves?"

"I am not saying they will, but I am saying they might."

"How does the Opposition know that the Far East is not going to be another Munich?"

### Stock Exchange Anxiety

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—European anxieties were responsible for a general downdrift in prices on the London Stock Exchange to-day, though not much selling pressure was visible.

Home rails were especially weak on the possibility of a strike following a wage dispute affecting the whole railway system.

Elsewhere Burma Corporations were steady on a dividend of five annas compared with four previously.

Among commodities, copper recorded a further small improvement largely owing to reports of the excellent consumption, with some revival in speculative interest.

Wall Street was very quiet.

### Emergency Conference

TOKYO, Aug. 2 (Domestic).—The War Minister, Lieut.-General Itagaki, at whose instance the Five-Minister

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LONDON, Aug. 2, (U.P.).—The House of Commons, by a vote of 245 to 129, to-day approved the Government's motion to adjourn Parliament on Friday until October 3.

By a vote of 250 to 132, the House also passed a vote of confidence in the Government, defeating the Labour Party's amendment seeking to prevent adjournment on Friday in accordance with the Prime Minister's motion.

### SHORTER ADJOURNMENT

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Chamberlain submitted a motion that the House adjourn from Friday to October 3, with the proviso that the Speaker should recall the House at an earlier date if he is satisfied that public interest demanded it.

Mr. Chamberlain said that the period of adjournment was shorter than usual, the reason being that the normal business of the session had been interrupted by emergency legislation.

Parliament, he thought, had dealt with all the legislation necessary at the present moment, and the House could be assured that the country was ready for any emergency.

The Prime Minister said that there were at least two reasons why the Government might feel it necessary to call the House together during the recess.

One would be if it was necessary to ask the House to pass legislation not at present contemplated, and the other, if it was desired to have the approval of the House for measures taken or about to be taken in an unexpected situation.

### Labour Amendment

Mr. Arthur Greenwood proposed an amendment, asking that the House be recalled on September 21, because of the uncertainty of the international situation.

Apart from this feeling of apprehension, and Mr. Greenwood, there was a suspicion that once the House rose the Government might take the wrong turning.

### No Jitters

Mr. Greenwood declared: "I am not a jittery person, nor do the people of this country suffer from jitters now, but to know that Parliament would meet in three weeks' time would strengthen the spirit of the people and fortify their confidence.

"It only needs one of the great personages in Europe suffering from a bad liver to learn that German subjects had been shot in Danzig and the world was to be at war in 24 hours."

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### Another Danger Spot

Mr. Greenwood emphasised that it was wiser for the House to sit until the Moscow pact was "in the bag." Suppose Herr Hitler turned his eyes to Yugoslavia continued Mr. Greenwood, and added that the information he had went to show that the situation there might easily become another danger spot of Europe.

Supporting Mr. Greenwood, Sir Archibald Sinclair, leader of the Liberal Opposition, said that Mr. Chamberlain's recent assurance that there should be no important departure from the declared policy carried them nowhere.

Was Berchtesgaden a departure from the declared policy? he asked. Yet the decisions taken there had set them on the road which had led Hitler to Prague.

What they wanted to know was, before grave decisions were taken, at Berchtesgaden, the House would

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## SCURRY TO ADJOURN

### U.S. Politicians Want To Go Home

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (U.P.).—President Roosevelt's congressional leaders in the House of Representatives to-day threw overboard the \$800,000 housing proposal and started a rush for congressional adjournment.

Following a conference with the Speaker of the House, the Majority Leader, Representative Adolf Sabath, announced the action and at the same time bitterly attacked the House Majority.

He said the scuttling of the Lend-Lease programme forced President Roosevelt to become a candidate for a third term."

### Drunk With Power

"The forces of reaction are drunk with power," he declared. "If the President does not become a candidate for a third term it just means that all the achievements of the past eight years on behalf of the common man will be killed as soon as the reactionaries can get to work."

## LATEST

### LABOUR WINS GOVT. SEAT

LONDON, Aug. 2 (U.P.).—The Government has sustained another reversal in the polls.

The Welsh County of Brecon and Radnor, which had been lost to Labour as a result of to-day's bye-election, necessitated by the elevation of the Hon. Ivor Guest to the Peacock.

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## War Strain



### Husband Says "No" To Jury's £1,600 Award

A HUSBAND, said to have been "robbed of a rare type of wife," refused damages of £1,600 assessed against a co-respondent in the Divorce Court recently.

His counsel said he did not want more than £1,000, and Mr. Justice Langton, granting him a decree nisi, entered judgment for that sum with costs against the co-respondent.

Mr. David Henry Milward, of Calow Farm, Hereford, assistant surveyor and engineer to Herefordshire County Council, charged his wife, Beryl Eileen, with misconduct with Mr. Frederick Thornton, whose acquaintance they made when they went to the Argentine under a colonizing scheme.

Mr. Justice Langton told the jury that Thornton, a cultivator on a larger scale than Mr. Milward, had

## Baronet's Daughter "Lent" £30,000 to Her Chauffeur



### Daughter For Peer Aged 67

A daughter was born at Udny Castle near Aberdeen, recently to Lady Belhaven and Stenton, 22-years-old wife of Lord Belhaven and Stenton, 67-years-old politician and soldier.

"Both Lady Belhaven and her daughter are very well," it was stated at the castle.

Lord Belhaven and Stenton married for the second time in March last year, a month after he had met Miss Sheila Penrose, of Knoll Farm, Aldington, Kent, in Mentone.

robbed him of a rare type of wife in a woman peculiarly suited to the adventurous life on which she and her husband had embarked.

### German Motorists Not To Smoke

Berlin.—GEN. Daluge, chief of the German uniformed police, has issued an order that motorists in Germany may not in future smoke while driving.

The number of accidents in Germany, it is stated, is so high that every effort must be made to improve the standard of driving. A driver needs both hands on the wheel and cannot spare one of them to knock off his ash.

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- R2075—I Cried For You. Rhythm Style. Begin The Beguine ..... MILDRED DAILEY & HER ORCH.
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- R2073—Blue Blazer. Baby, Won't You Please Come Home. JIMMY LUNCEFORD & HIS ORCH.
- R2077—in The Bush & On The Prairie & The Veil. Comic. That's How I'd Write A Love Song ..... RONALD FRANKAU.

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- 5.—All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions will not be accepted.
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- 7.—All entries to be either black, sepia, or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Coloured photographs are ineligible.
- 8.—Pictures submitted in sepia tones should be accompanied by a small sketch in black and white.
- 9.—No picture to be entered in more than one Section.
- 10.—Mounts to be only white or cream, and, except in the Children's Section, must be of one of the following sizes— $10 \times 12$ ,  $10 \times 20$ .
- 11.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- 12.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the entrant's name, age and address on the entry form, counter-signed by a parent.
- 13.—Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
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Fred Snite, Jr., arrives in New York in his iron lung from Lourdes, France, shrine where he said he obtained spiritual help. His father holds silver cup presented to him as only passenger on Normandie who did not loose a point in ping pong tournament. He didn't play.

### Anti-Jay-walking Squad Go on Duty

PEDESTRIANS took kindly recently to a new body of "Courtesy Cops" established for their benefit. The scheme is to be extended almost immediately.

Metropolitan Police have formed a squad of "infantry" traffic policemen to do the same for pedestrians as the mobile "Courtesy Cops" do for motorists—that is, gently to reprove those who act thoughtlessly or foolishly on the road, and to instruct them in better behaviour.

The police took up positions at danger spots in South London.

#### LOUDSPEAKER

"Will pedestrians please keep to the pedestrian crossings—it's so much safer," booms a loudspeaker at a man

who is crossing the road 30 yards in advance of the studs.

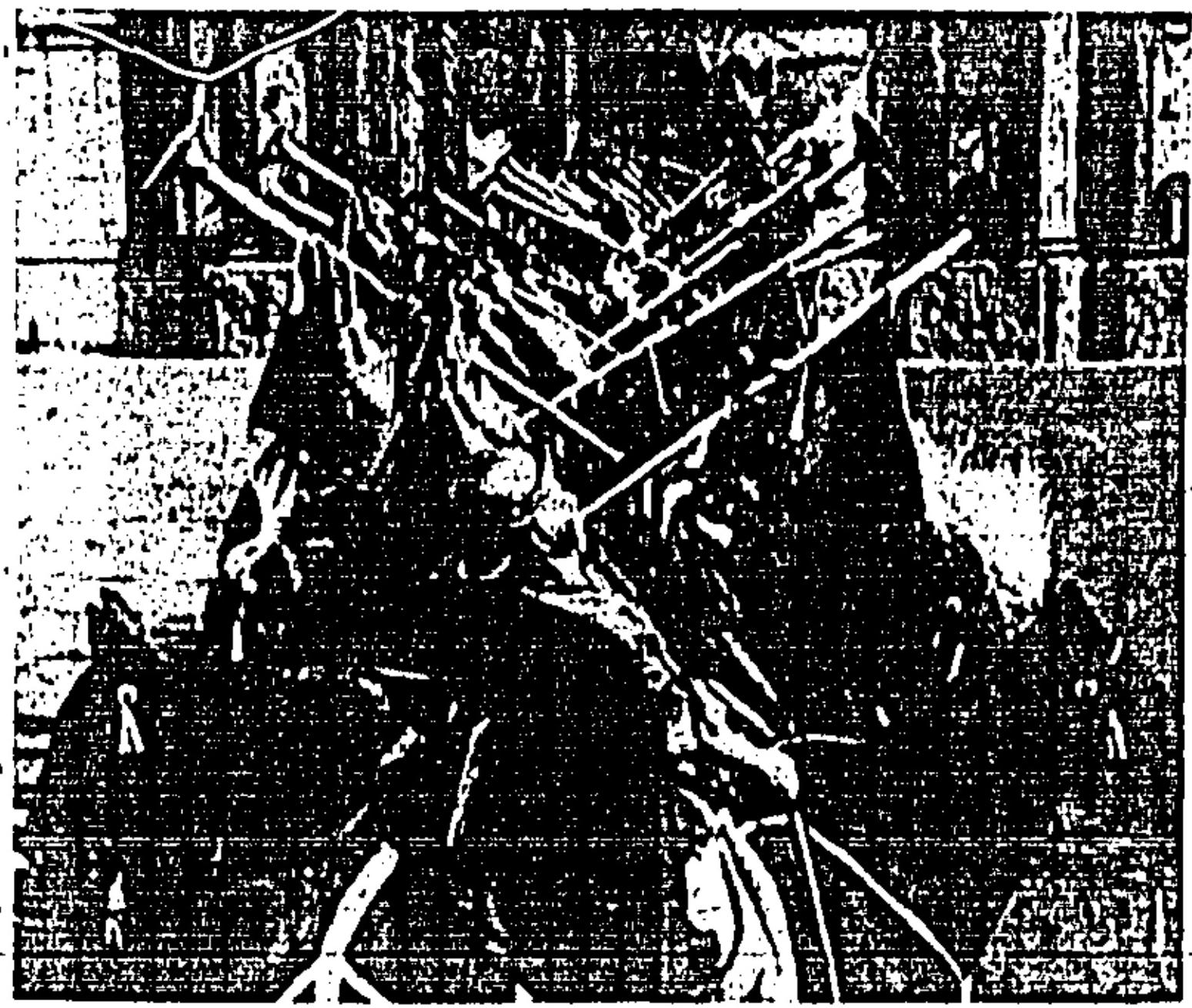
The man looks up a little startled, hesitates, hurries back to the kerb, and crosses at the proper place.

A moment later the loudspeaker is

swung round on its swivel to point to a woman.

"It is dangerous to walk on the kerb with your back to the traffic," it barks. The woman stops, and turns a resentful eye.

The woman thinks better of it, smiles sheepishly, and walks on—away from the kerb.



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## Man is the Chief Cook in a Women's Camp

By NOEL MONKS

### Cambridge Blue Sued

TWENTY-eight-years-old Mr. Dudley C. Folland, wealthy Cambridge Soccer Blue, is defendant in an action for breach of promise, brought by Miss Doreen Stevenson, of Swansea. The engagement of Mr. Folland and Miss Stevenson was announced on December 3, 1936.

Five months after they had been pulled from their car when it burst into flames after crashing at the Jersey Marine Golf Course, Swansea.

The action was down for hearing at Glamorgan Assizes, at Swansea.

In October last Mr. Folland married Miss Joyce Harper, daughter of the Rector of Thurlestow, South Devon.

Mr. Folland, Rugby player and gaffer, is a director of Swansea Town Football Club.

Because of his connection with the club the Welsh Rugby Union ruled that he could no longer play Rugby as an amateur.

Mr. Folland's father was Mr. Henry Folland, the South Wales tinsplate magnate.

### Danish Knight Not A Dane

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.

Andrew N. Johnson, Danish vice consul here, recently knighted by his government and decorated by the king, is not a Dane and has never been in Denmark. Johnson was made vice consul after doing considerable legal work for the Danish consul service. He was born in Wisconsin.

I VISITED a war-strength military camp at Cowshott, near Pirbright, and the only armaments I saw was a small axe, used for cutting up the cookhouse firewood. Even the officers did not carry anything more dangerous than a nail file.

Quartered in the camp were 150 members of the Women's Auxiliary Territorial Service (City of London), undergoing their first 15 days' field training.

Although they're living like soldiers and look like soldiers in the smart khaki uniforms, it will never be their duty to pack even a revolver.

Their war-time task will be to take over the hundred and one odd jobs at the headquarters of the regiment to which they are attached.

I was expected at the camp at 3.30 p.m., and because I was ten minutes early a pretty blonde on sentry-go refused to let me pass the guard tent.

Right on the tick, however, she called to me, "You may pass now." That businesslike attitude of the sentry girl pervades the whole camp, I found.

But they do like the place to look homely. There are buttercups in the meadows by the camp, and each morning a recruit is told off to pick several bunches for the mess tents.

#### THERE'S NO BUGLER

They "turn-to" at 6 a.m., called from their tents by guards who go from tent to tent blowing whistles.

The company tried hard to find a trained girl bugler, but none was available.

Breakfast follows physical culture exercises, then 70 of the company march a mile over to Farnham, where they spend most of their day being instructed in their wartime duties by Grenadier Guardsmen.

As I strolled through the camp I was bursting to know what the rankers called their officers. My officer-guards asked one question. "Pardon, come we answer, 'Yes-mam.' So that was it.

There's only one man attached to this women's camp. He'd been lent from the Guards to instruct the women cooks how to run the cookhouse. As if they didn't know, their looks said.

### When Woman Turns Explorer

SOUTHAMPTON, MRS. LAWRENCE THAW, slim, fashionably dressed New York beauty, thinks exploring is thrilling, but she likes doing it in comfort.

Recently aboard the American liner President Roosevelt she displayed a £20,000 luxury caravan in which she and her husband are setting out on a 14,000-mile journey to the interior of India.

The 40ft. blue and silver streamlined caravan is equipped with air-conditioning and refrigerating plant, modern bedrooms, library salon, bedroom with hot and cold running water and a two-way radio set.

#### MODERN TOUCHES

Mrs. Thaw said: "My husband designed the caravan, but I added one or two feminine touches."

She pointed to the full-length mirror, the illuminated cocktail cabinet, and a fully equipped make-up tray, which fitted under her bunk.

Mrs. Thaw has been on three expeditions to Africa with her husband, although they had to rough it then.

Her husband, a stocky, muscular American, showed me the serious side of the expedition: the caravan-illuminated route map; the special glass windows, which prevent outsiders seeing into the caravan, and the telephone from the bedroom to the driving seat.

"We expect to be away 10 months," he said. "We will be taking some films of the things we see, so we have a fully equipped dark room too.

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### CHAMBERLAIN PROMISES TO RECALL COMMONS IF NEEDED

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be able to have a chance to discuss the issues in public.

#### Churchill's Support

Discussing the Government motion, Mr. Winston Churchill said that they would suffer when the House was sitting.

It would be regrettable to go out of action when the situation was becoming more acute.

Mr. Churchill asked if there were anyone who doubted that there was going to be a supreme trial of will-power, if not of arms.

It would be disastrous, pathetic and shameful for the House of Commons to write itself off as an effective factor at this moment. Mr. Churchill said he trusted Mr. Chamberlain's good faith, but there might be differences of judgment. To recall Parliament would be to denote a situation of the gravest emergency, because all the fleet was already mobilised, and it would mean, in all probability, that something had occurred which brought us up against a supreme decision.

Mr. Churchill expressed the view that the situation in Europe was graver than this time last year, and he mentioned that great numbers of men in Germany were under arms.

All along the Polish border, he declared, were masses of troops, and every preparation had been made for a speedy advance.

#### Opposition Criticized

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—Closing the debate, Mr. Chamberlain sharply criticised Opposition speakers and declared that the Government regarded the vote on the adjournment motion as a question of confidence.

The Premier declared that the statements made by one of the Opposition speakers showed that this speaker urgently needed a vacation.

In reply to the argument that the House must remain in session since it was possible that Germany might take certain steps in the Danzig question during the adjournment, the Premier pointed out that Parliament was in session when the Austrian Anschluss was carried out, and when Bohemia and Moravia were incorporated into the Reich.

There was a sharp exchange between the Premier and Mr. Winston Churchill. The Prime Minister declared that Mr. Churchill once more, as often in the past, was in agreement with Sir Archibald Sinclair.

"I'll only say that I totally and utterly disagree with him," added Mr. Churchill, whose words were received with loud cheers from the Government supporters.

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#### PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS

of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 8th day of August, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Stanley, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

#### PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements N. S. E. W. feet/feet/feet/feet	Contents in sq. feet	Ann. Rent	Open Price
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2	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2653.	Adjoining New Kowloon, Inland Lot No. 2653, Castle Peak Road, Cheung Sha Wan.	as per sale plan.	About 4,856	\$168	\$1,500

#### U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

#### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, August 2.

##### New York Cotton

	Opening	Closing	
October	613/14	604/04	
December	8,95/00	8,87/88	
January	8,70/82a	8,74/74	
March	8,73/73	8,05/05	
May	8,57/57	8,48/48	
July	8,38/38	8,30/30	
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##### New York Rubber

	September	December	March	May
Chicago Wheat	10,54/54	10,50/50	10,50/50	
September	10,50/50	10,50/50	10,50/50	
December	10,50/50	10,50/50	10,50/50	
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##### Chicago Corn

	September	December	May
September	42/42	42/42	45/45
December	42/42	42/42	45/45
May			

##### Winnipeg Wheat

	October	December	May
September	52 1/2% / 52 1/2%	52 1/2% / 52 1/2%	
December	54 1/2% / 54 1/2%	54 1/2% / 54 1/2%	
May		57 1/2% / 57 1/2%	

The Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Russia left Yokohama at 8 a.m. to-day and is due at Hong Kong on August 10 at 11 a.m.

#### THE VALUE OF JAPAN'S WORD

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counter-measures by the British Government.

**Further Intimidation**  
PEIPING, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—The sending of letters to Chinese employees of Britain, has been followed up in some instances by direct intimidation by the so-called anti-British Picket Corps, which is generally believed to be Japanese-organised.

The bulk of the Chinese populace remains normally friendly or disinterested. The trouble is caused by a small minority, having the full support of Japanese press publicity.

The majority of the Chinese believe that the agitators have Japanese military support; therefore it is easily possible that the situation might develop seriously.

The British authorities are making representations to the Japanese Embassy, from instances of anti-British demonstrations, reminding the Japanese authorities of their responsibility in maintaining law and order in territory under their control.

It is learned from Tientsin that the anti-British movements at Tangku are somewhat restrained through the announcement of the Japanese officer commanding there that his forces will protect foreign lives and property, though he was unable to interfere with the parades and demonstrations.

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#### CRISIS IN EUROPE

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Conference is to meet to-day to discuss the Government policy towards the latest developments in the European situation, on Wednesday afternoon summoned an emergency conference of Army leaders to determine the Army's attitude.

Premier Hirano, Foreign Minister Arita, War Minister Itagaki, Navy Minister Yonai, and Finance Minister Ishiwata, members of the so-called Inner Cabinet, are meeting to-day to discuss possible reaction of Japan's "fundamental policy" vis-à-vis the European political situation.

**Anglo-Soviet Talks**

MOSCOW, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—There are grounds for believing that some progress was made in this afternoon's meeting between the British and French representatives and M. Molotov, but there is no indication of an early signing of a pact.

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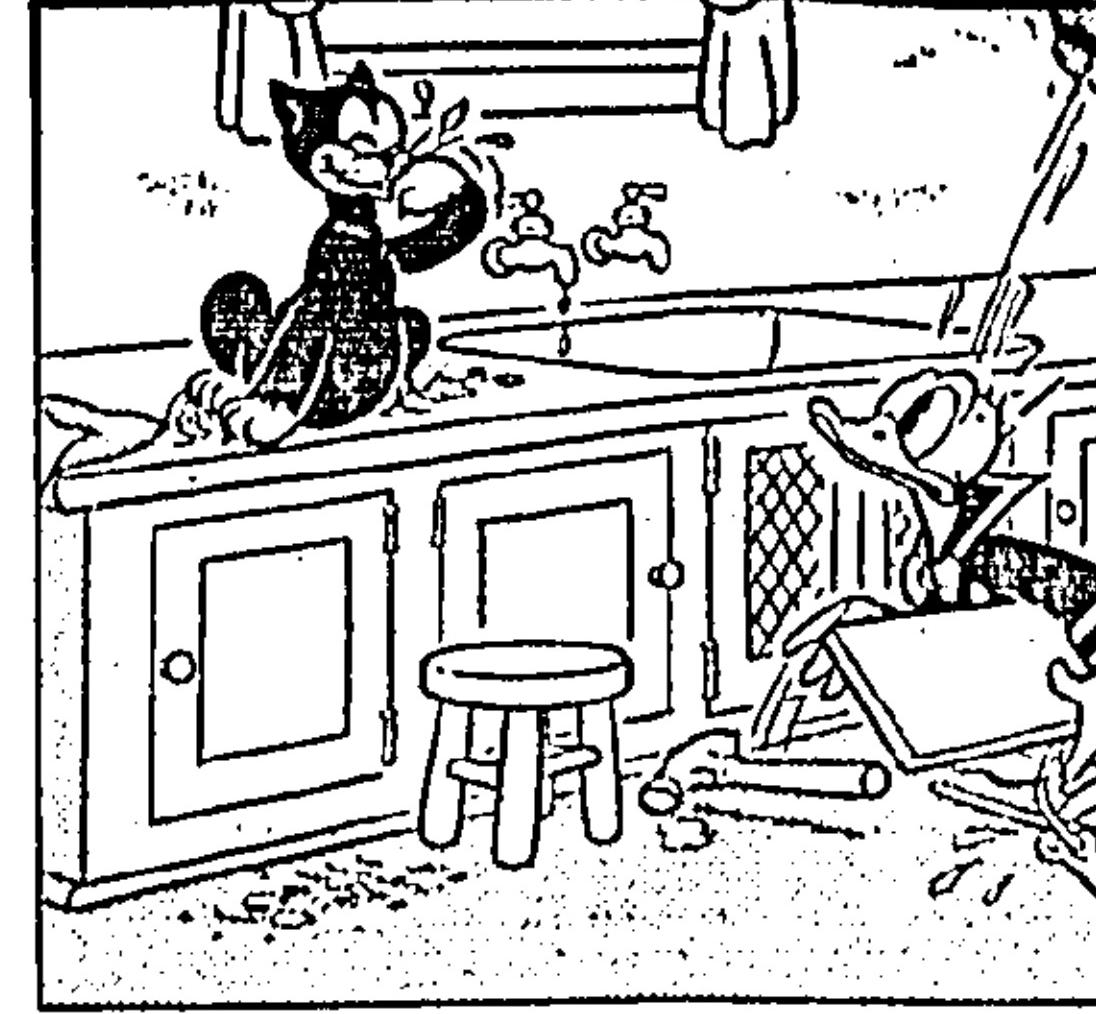
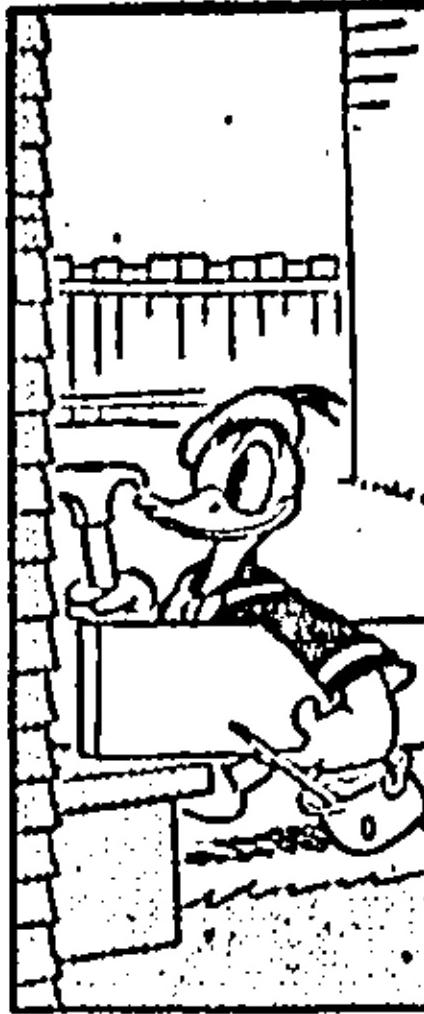
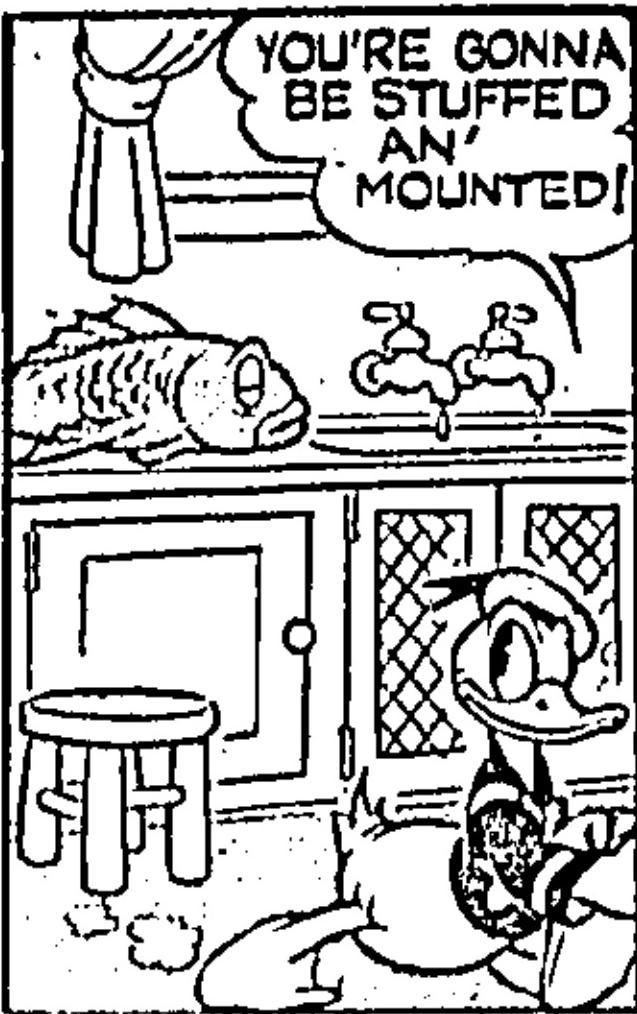
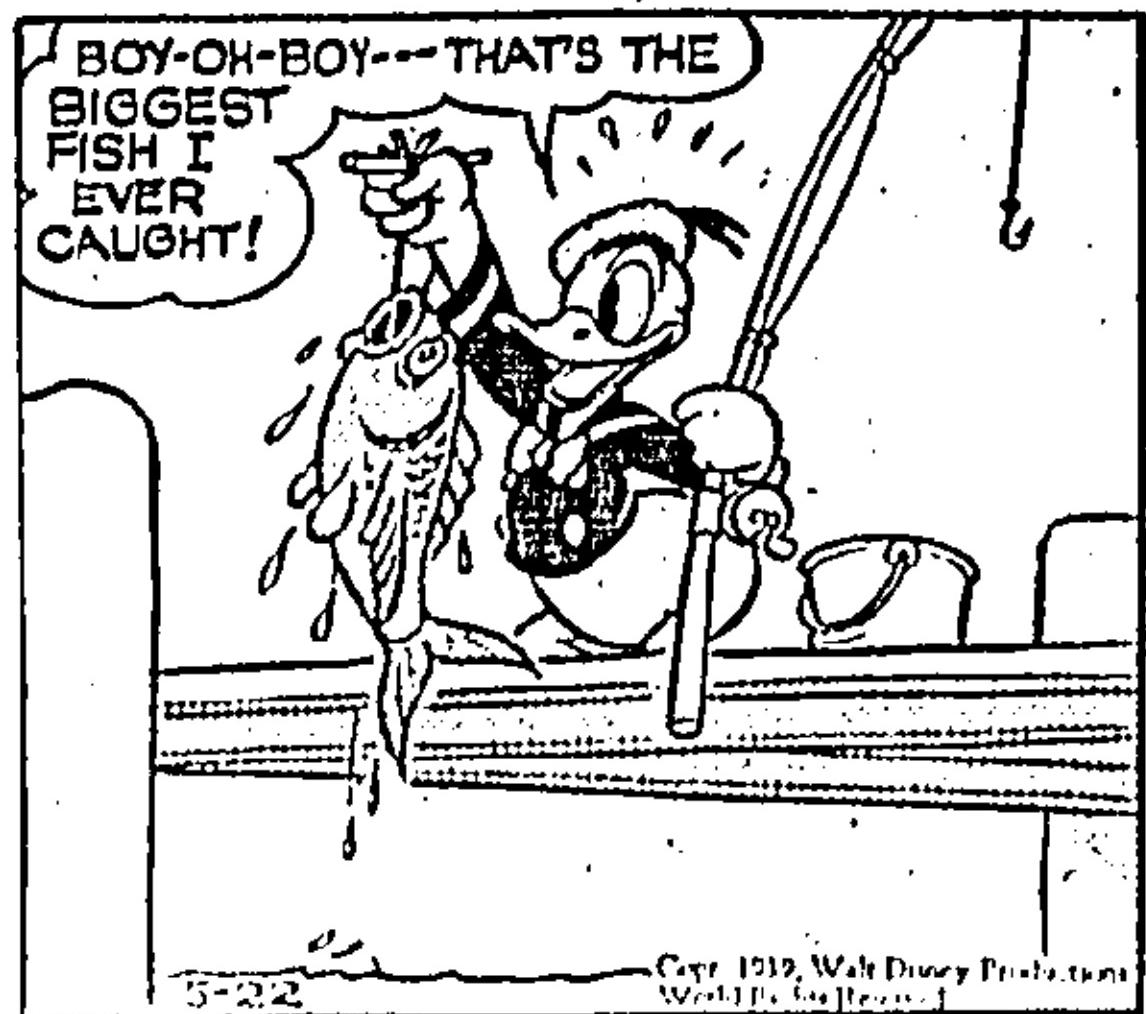
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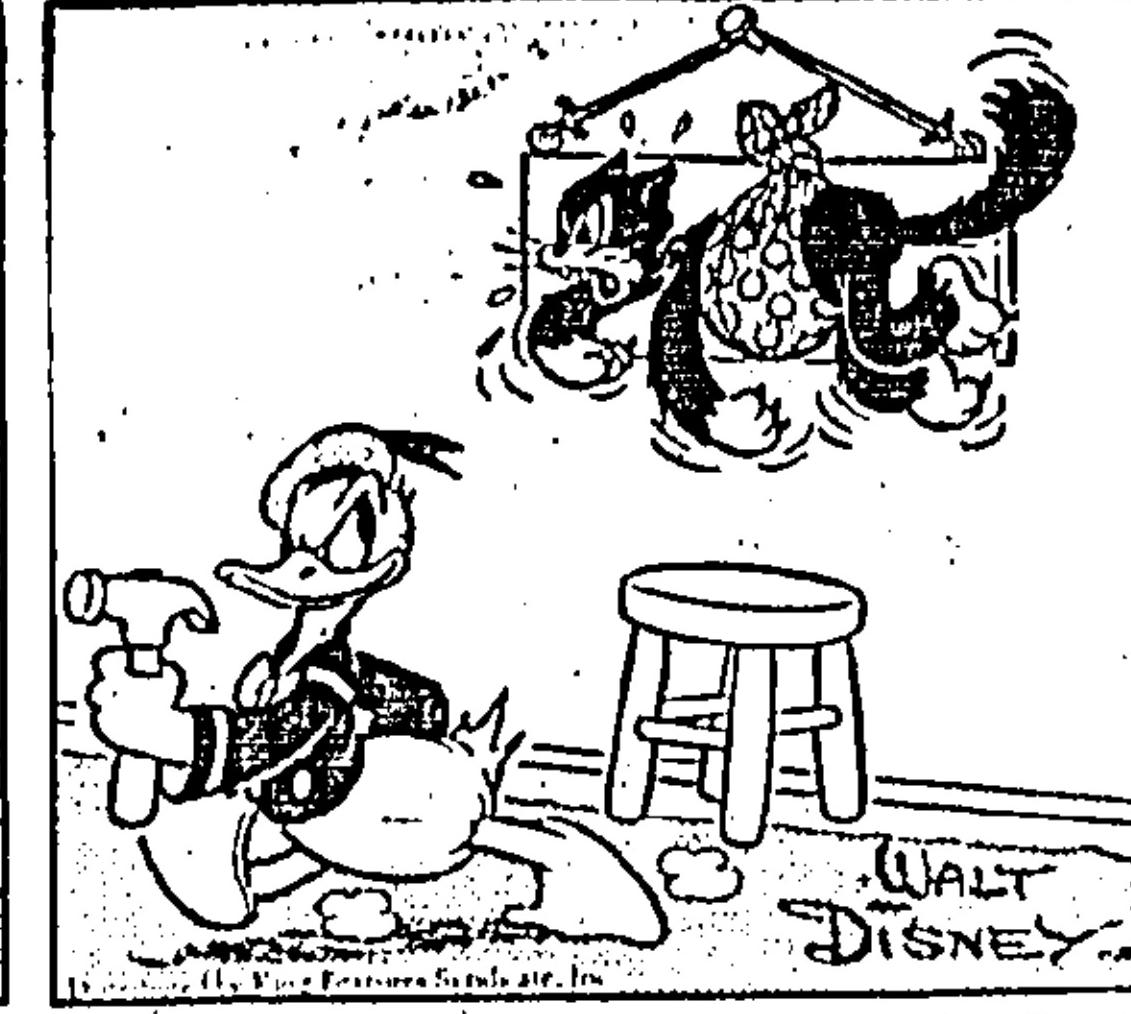
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## ROBBERY OUTLINED

Kowloon Shooting Affray Ends  
In Court for Three Men

Escaping robbers, pursuing policemen, exchange of revolver shots, a pedestrian killed—these were some of the dramatic details given by Mr. J. B. Prentis, Assistant Crown Solicitor, opening a murder and armed robbery case before Mr. Q. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

Mention was also made of how Mr. J. L. Youngsaye of the Diocesan Boys' School, had been shot at by one of the robbers.

The defendants were Tsang Sang, 32, Lai Yau, 31, and Yau Sang, 32, and they were alleged to have robbed a goldsmith's shop, on May 30, of 76 gold finger rings, 75 gold bangles, 12 gold ear-rings, and 21 gold ornaments; and are also accused of murder of a woman, Au Yeung Yin-wan.

Tsang Sang was further charged with intent to murder Sergeant Clifford Pope, and alternatively with shooting with intent to maim, disfigure or disable Sergeant Pope, or in order to resist lawful arrest. He was also charged with the possession of arms and ammunition, a mauser pistol and 62 rounds of ammunition.

Lai Yau was additionally charged with possession of rounds of ammunition and an automatic pistol, an automatic pistol, 45 rounds of ammunition and an ammunition clip; shooting with intent to murder police constable C.C.354, Ho Fook, and alternatively shooting with intent to maim, disfigure or disable C.C.354, or in order to resist lawful arrest.

Yau Sang was charged with possession of 10 rounds of ammunition, and an ammunition clip.

## Two Already in Prison

Two of the defendants Tsang and Yau, are already serving terms of imprisonment for breach of the Deportation Ordinance. They were sentenced at the last Criminal Sessions.

In opening the Crown Case, Mr. Prentis said that on May 30 a robbery took place at 449, Shanghai Street.

"Like all gold-smith's shops," said Mr. Prentis, "this one is open in front and a glass counter runs down one side of the shop, in which are displayed the majority of the shop's stock in trade."

Shortly before noon on that day, the managing partner and his employees were in their respective positions on the premises. Leung Ki, an employee of the shop, was sitting in a chair at the entrance to the shop, whilst Leung Wing, another employee, was at the back of the premises in the laboratory. Suddenly, a Chinese man dressed in black came into the shop and pointed a gun at Leung Ki and told him not to move.

A shot was heard in the street and four other men rushed into the shop. Three were armed with revolvers. All five robbers ranged along the counter behind which three of the accountants were sitting. With the butts of their guns they broke the glass top of the counter and dipped their hands to extract gold articles.

While this was going on, Leung Wing at the back of the premises heard the shots and shouts of "snatching." Realising that the shop was being robbed, he came out of the shop.

Street the lorry came up behind them and Tang alighted.

## Detective Fires

Mr. Prentis stated that when the detective was outside house No. 58 on 60 he drew his revolver and blew his whistle. The robbers by this time were crossing Sai Yee Street and the detective fired at them.

When the detective opened fire all the four robbers turned around and returned his fire. The robbers were about 30 yards away from the detective. When the exchange of fire took place Leung was opposite house No. 56 or 58 and was standing in the road with a clear view of the robbers.

In the first exchange of shots the detective was wounded in the left forearm and a woman named Au Yeung Yin-wan was also hurt.

When Leung first saw Au Yeung she was standing on the pavement slightly turned and looking back over her right shoulder in the direction of the robbers. Leung suddenly saw the woman clasp her hand over her stomach and run forward towards detective Tang. When she reached house No. 58 she staggered into a shop and collapsed. She was also seen by a woman who was telephoning inside the shop. She stated that shortly after the exchange of shots she heard a woman shout "Ah-yah" and saw the woman three feet away from the shop with her face turned and looking back behind her.

## Bystander Killed

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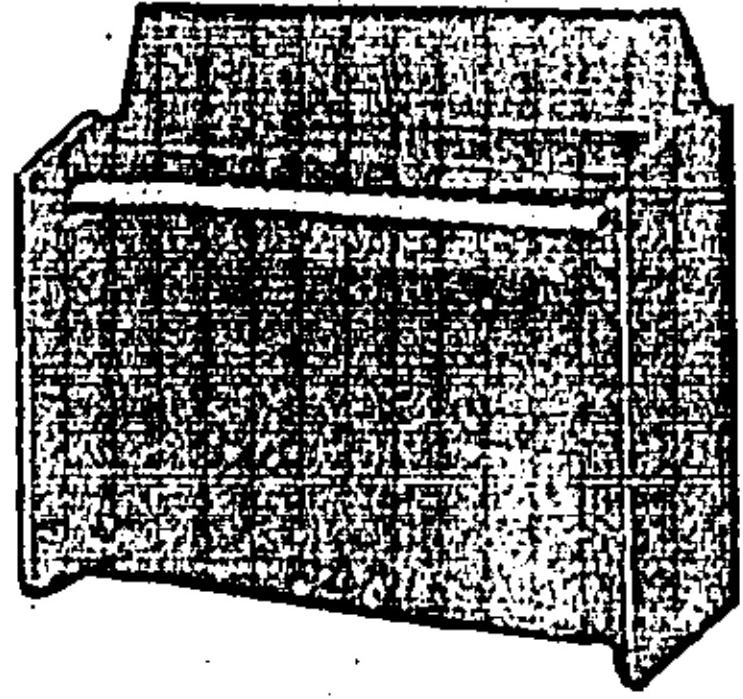


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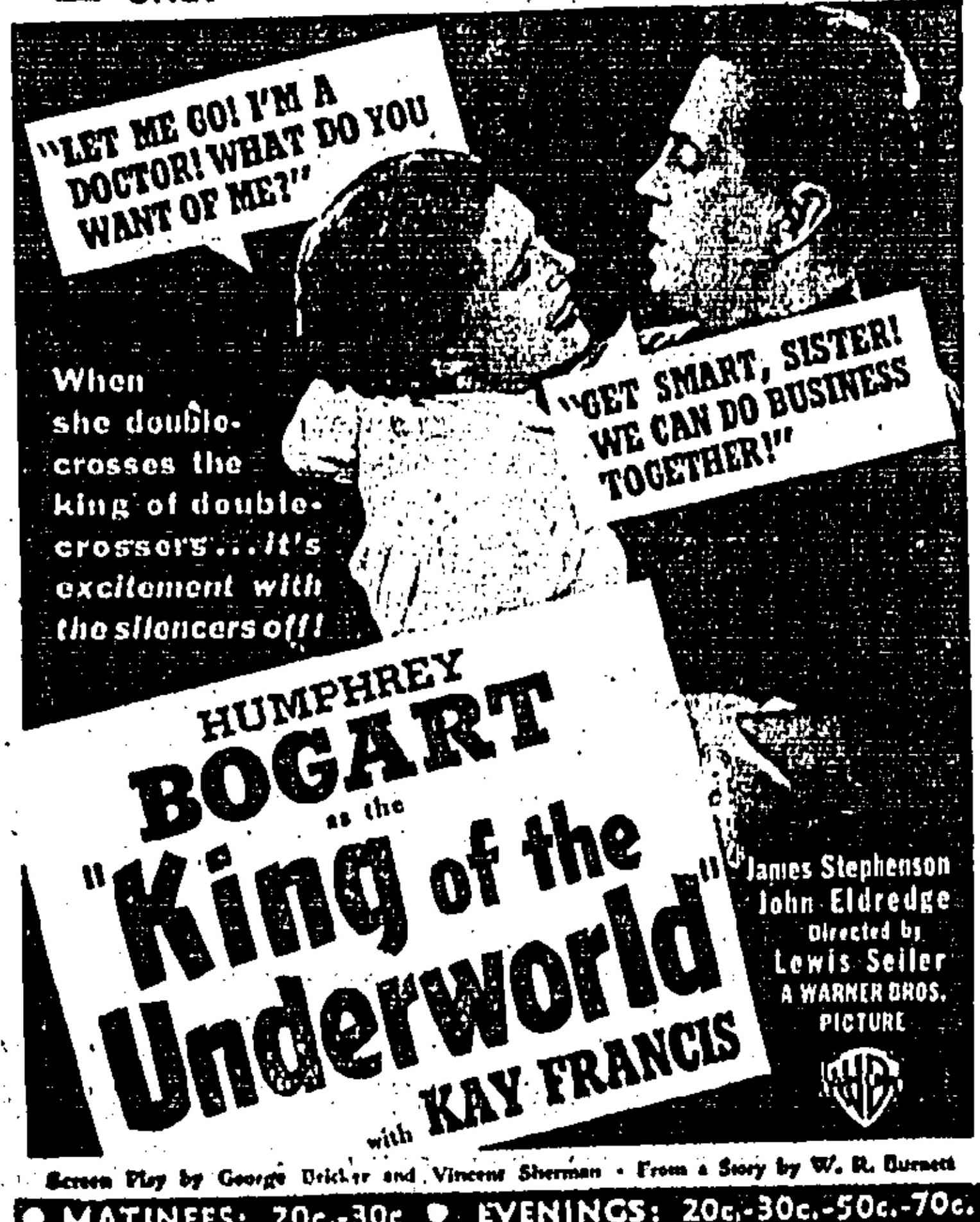
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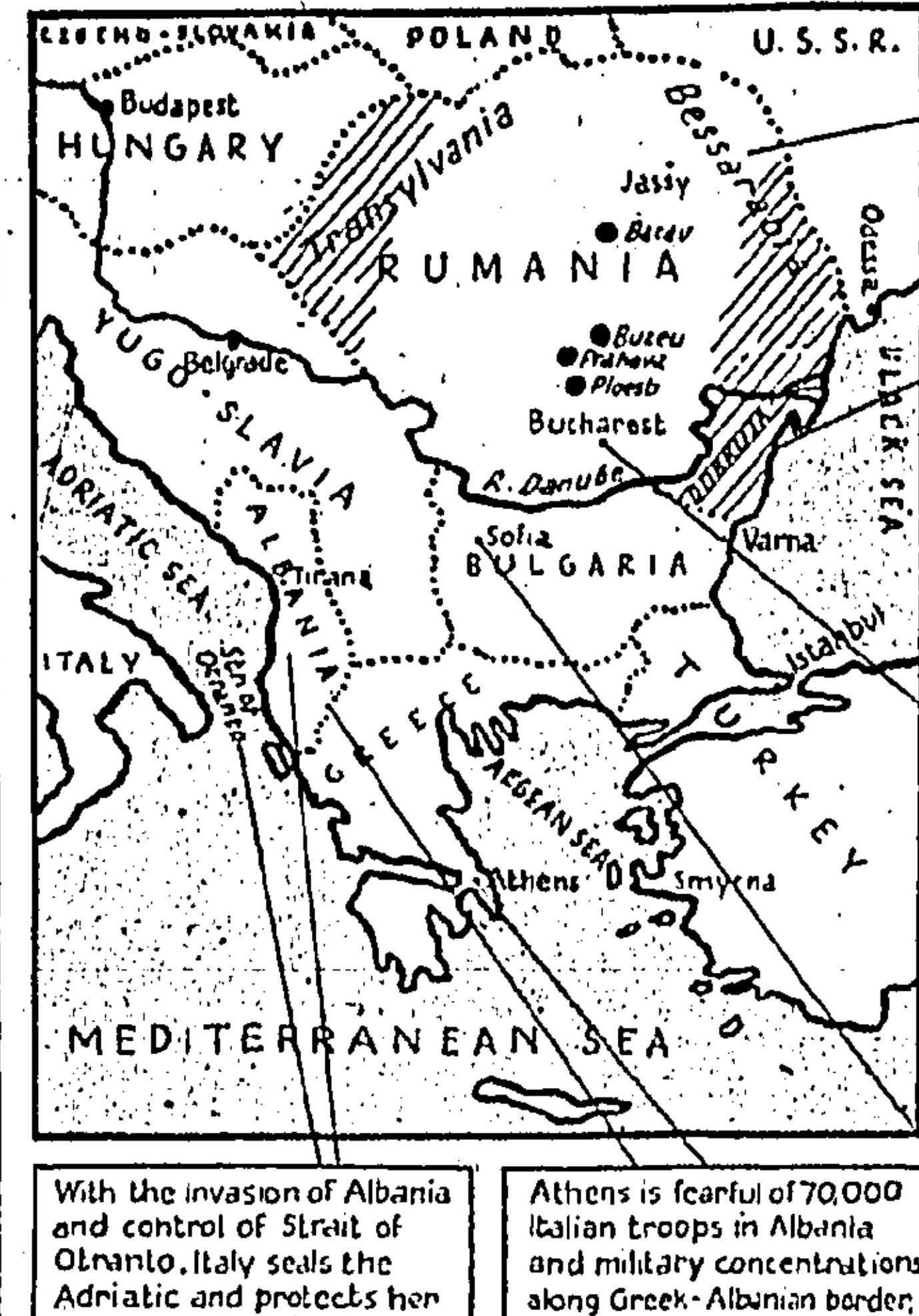
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With the invasion of Albania and control of Strait of Otranto, Italy seals the Adriatic and protects her eastern seaboard from attack.

Bessarabia ceded to Rumania in 1920 by Allies, but since cause of friction between Russia and Rumania. But with German influence (in Czechoslovakia) within 90 miles of Soviet border tension easies.

Dobruja ceded to Rumania from Bulgaria in 1920. Now under discussion between Bulgaria and Germany in Berlin.

Bucharest capital of Rumania governed by royal dictatorship. Rumania is most vulnerable of all European nations to Nazi penetration, and with its vast wheatfields (marked // on map) and its scarcely developed oil supplies (wells marked 0) must remain as most obvious field for Nazi economic drive. Rumania's military and air forces are relatively weak and ill-equipped. Rumania has commercial agreements with Germany, and Britain (has received £5,000,000 credits from Britain this year), but is mainly dependent upon Germany for continuance of her economic life. By agreement of last March German technicians are now directing and developing Rumanian industrial potentialities.

Bulgaria: now in consultation with Berlin concerning Bulgarian claims to Dobruja province from Rumania, and direct access to Mediterranean Sea from Greece.

and instructors), industry and hygiene.

(f) To provide unified modern equipment and munitions for the Rumanian Army, whose armament is at present varied and in some cases obsolete.

Any tightening of this German control means that Rumania becomes virtually a German protectorate, provides German military strategists with bases for possible action against U.S.S.R.

U.S.S.R., for long antagonistic towards Rumania over Bessarabian problems, is now friendly, watches this "buffer" State of Rumania as carefully as she watches the other "buffer" State of Poland.

# Danzig, the City of Watching Eyes

MY Polish friend Stefan Kowalski asked me to meet him for lunch.

"The railway station at one o'clock," he said, in the mysterious voice that Poles use in the Free City over the phone.

At midday it was a struggle to find a seat, though the chairs are as hard and the walls as bleak as in any other station.

In October, 1937, at a great Albert Hall meeting in London, the Archbishop of Canterbury spoke for the whole of Britain when he denounced Japan. A month later the Far Eastern Conference at Brussels voiced its considered condemnation of the Japanese action.

In the early stages of the war the Japanese assault on the civilised world took the form of attacks on foreign property, and such incidents as the sinking of the Panay. In recent weeks Japan has come out into the open and at Tientsin has made it plain that she desires nothing less than complete Japanese domination of the whole of China, including those parts which have hitherto been the subject of special foreign interests.

If the political condition of

Europe had been different there

can be no question that Britain

should by now have been giving active assistance to the Chinese Government.

At the present moment the Japanese advance has been checked and its aggression halted by the determined resistance of the Chinese themselves. No better time could be found for us to throw in financial resources in an effort to bring about a victory which would benefit not only

China but the whole civilised world.

Opposite sits Herr Artur Greiser,

President of the Senate, who

once started the world's diplomatic

representatives by thumbing his nose

before the League of Nations.

Sometimes Herr Greiser thumps the table with his fist and shouts to his friends: "Ninety-seven per cent. of us are Germans, so why can't we go back to the Reich?"

PROFESSOR KARL BURKHARDT, League High Commissioner, dubbed by Hitler

as "the real cityites away from the Senate, the Commissariat, the railway, and the Jews, towards the water-front. There, tall gabled houses, painted pale browns and greys, yellow and greens, shadow the narrow, cobbled streets. Behind the old windows

of the police headquarters the Gestapo keep an eye on everybody visiting the narrow, three-storeyed grey house where the Jewish headquarters are established, a hundred yards across the Neumarkt-square.

But it is not only the Poles and Nazis who watch each other. From the police headquarters the Gestapo

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BUT from the Senate, the Commissariat, the railway, and the Jews, towards the water-front.

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Danzig's craftsmen, her gold and silversmiths, her metal workers and wood carvers, bend over their work. Further on, among the high-timbered warehouses lining the broad waterways, dozens of little distilleries brew Danzig's famous liqueurs.

Near by, stout old German innkeepers shout "Good health" as they put down glasses of schnapps on the heavy wooden tables before the sailors who crowd in during the evenings.

Outside, squads of brown-shirted stormtroopers—the rank and file of bristling-moustached, red-faced old Danzigers—march night after night through the streets, patriotically roaring their "Herr Hitler" and snapping their light arms more briskly than in Berlin.

On the sidewalks young men of the labour corps stroll just back on holiday from camps all over the Reich.

Behind this show of swastikas and banners lies the power in the hands of the police and black-uniformed guards.

ONCE, in far-away Geneva, the League of Nations allowed Danzig 1,000 police. Then Herr Artur Greiser "complained" that Danzig's young men clamoured for military training in Germany.

After diplomats had gathered, it was agreed to allow Danzig's police a hundred of "recruits." So to-day 500 recruits are established in addition in the big barracks on the Zappel road—once the headquarters of a regiment of Death's Head Hussars.

But Danzigers themselves will smile knowingly if you suggest there are only 1,500 of these police altogether. They will hint that it is the police and the black-uniformed guards who might have to rise to "liberate" the city from within. If Hitler should press that button.

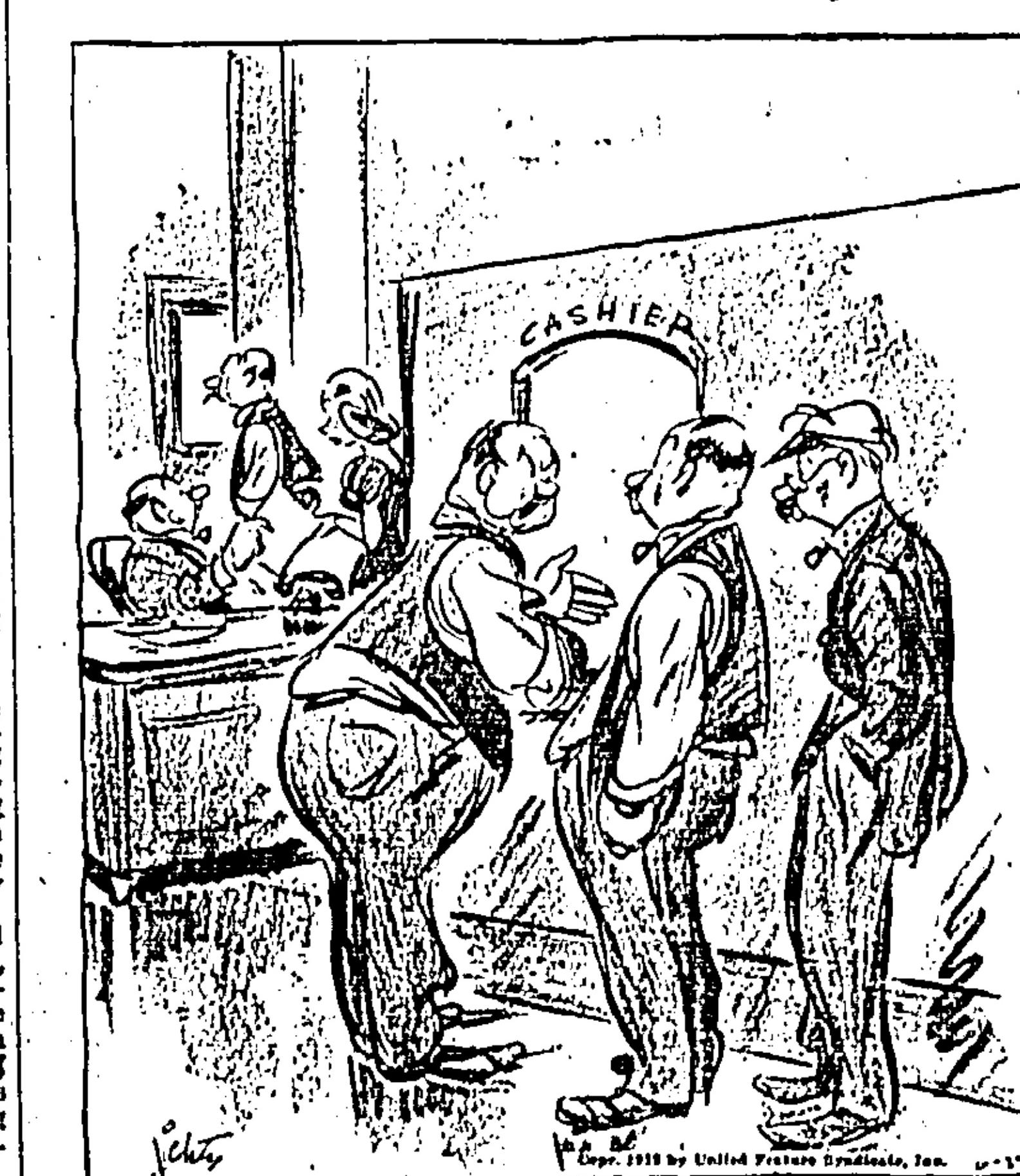
Every day sounds of green-uniformed police in steel helmets on their heads march out with rifles and machine-guns to exercise in the fields and pine woods. And the black-uniformed guards, drilled like soldiers, march through the streets with rifles on their shoulders, openly flouting the statue, laid down by the despised League, forbidding them arms.

Just over the frontier, the silent, grim-faced Polish guards know that they would face a force as well trained as regular troops if ever they should clash.

But for the present the Nazis keep to abusing Poland and the western democracies. Now they are complaining that the presence of so many Polish Customs inspectors is "inopportune."

They say that they have been "pressing" their German women-folk. And the Poles reply that their inspectors are necessary to prevent the Nazis smuggling arms in from East Prussia. If once one of the young fellows tried to kidnap a German woman,

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"The wife and I fight every payday—so now I've arranged to get my salary monthly instead of weekly!"

## OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

## Hitler's Magnetic Personality

London, Aug. 2. Hitler has a magnetic attraction for women, according to a trio of London girl dancers who returned to-day from Berlin where they danced in the Kindergarten.

The girls claim that Hitler approved their tap dancing act for four minutes.

"The most wonderful thing about Hitler," said one girl, "was his marvellous eyes and dynamio personality. He was a magnetic attraction for women. When he watched us Hitler did not sit still for a second. He was talking to people on either side of him and pointing at the stage. His hands were never still."—United Press.

## DOUBLING MALAYA'S DEFENCE

## Britain's Civil Defence Plans

Singapore, Aug. 2. It is understood that the troops being transferred from India to Malaya number between 8,000 and 10,000, and 90 per cent. are Indians.

The reinforcements constitute at least a doubling of the Singapore garrison. It is intended to be a permanent increase, and contractors are submitting schemes for speedy construction of barracks for the accommodation of the Indian troops.

The troops, which will begin to arrive next week, comprise practically all types of units, anti-aircraft and other mobile artillery preponderating.

The majority of the new troops will be stationed in Singapore. The newly formed Penang Garrison also will be greatly increased.

The Straits Times states that new garrisons are likely to be established in north Malaya for the protection of Singapore against the danger of a back door attack.—United Press.

## Civil Defence Plans

London, Aug. 2. The progress of civil defence was outlined in the House of Commons by Sir John Anderson and Mr. Walter Elliot.

Sir John Anderson stated that more than £70,000,000 was being spent in the financial year on civil defence, in the six months since the national service campaign was launched, the enrolment for all categories of civil service exceeded 1,300,000, and the expenditure for civil defence proceeded at the rate of over 20,000 weekly. They were aiming at getting over 2,000,000 people for the civil defence services, and now had a strength of 1,900,000, but there were deficiencies in particular services and particular areas and surpluses elsewhere. The auxiliary fire services still needed 100,000 volunteers and the nursing services 60,000.

Mr. Walter Elliot stated that work has begun or is about to begin, on 12 evacuation camps, and it is expected that the first camps will be ready in three months' time. Contracts for woodwork for 32 camps have been made, and it is expected that all will be ready at the end of the year.

Referring to hospitals, Mr. Elliot said that the first 100,000 beds will be made available by sending home patients fit to go. The second 100,000 beds are being placed in the existing institutions; 50,000 are already there, and the remainder will be there by the end of August. The hospitals in Central London will be used chiefly as casualty clearing stations. It was hoped that the new hutment hospitals in England and Wales will provide 35,000 beds by the end of the year. Ten thousand nurses and 45,000 auxiliary nurses have been enrolled.—Reuter Special.

## Australian Precaution

Canberra, Aug. 2. The Minister of Supply has announced drastic measures for the prevention of espionage, sabotage and subversive propaganda in munition factories and defence works of the Commonwealth.

The measures include a ban on employment in munition factories and defence works of persons of direct foreign extraction.—Reuter Bulletin.

## Chungking Prices

Chungking, Aug. 2. The cost of living is rising steadily. Three Cistles cigarettes are now \$4 per tin. Honey is 40¢ a bottle, and beer 25¢ a quart. The price of rice which is the daily food of Chinese rose by two dollars within one month and is now \$18 per picul.

The price of native leather shoes formerly within \$10 is now \$30. The price of Corolla cigarettes is now nearly \$100 per box of 25s. Gasoline costs nearly \$5 a gallon and is obtainable only with Government permits.—Reuter.

## SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS IN TOKYO CONFERENCE

## But More Delays Are Envisaged

Well-informed circles in Tokyo, according to Japanese reports, understand that the British delegates have agreed to practically all Japanese claims in regard to co-operation in the maintenance of peace and order in Tientsin. It is understood that the round-table conference will hereafter be devoted to the discussion of the currency questions.

Tokyo, Aug. 2. Mr. J. L. Dodd, Counsellor to the British Embassy, called on Mr. Tadashi Kurihara, Chief of the East Asian Affairs Bureau of the Foreign Office, at the Foreign Office this morning.

"The most wonderful thing about Hitler," said one girl, "was his marvellous eyes and dynamio personality. He was a magnetic attraction for women. When he watched us Hitler did not sit still for a second. He was talking to people on either side of him and pointing at the stage. His hands were never still."—United Press.

Tokyo, Aug. 2. The forthcoming recall of the Japanese Ambassador in Washington, Mr. Kenzuke Horinouchi, is announced by several papers here today.

The Kokumin Shimbum affirms that Mr. Horinouchi will be summoned back to Tokyo to report on the background of the American Government's negotiation of the trade agreement with Japan.

The paper adds that Japan's future attitude towards the United States will be based on the Ambassador's report.—Trans-Ocean.

British delegates contend that a ban on the circulation of the Chinese legal tender in the interest of the Federal Reserve Bank notes will be tantamount to Britain's virtual recognition of the Provisional Government at Peking.

Gendarmerie Major Seiichi Ohta, representative of the Japanese military authorities in Tientsin to the Tokyo conference, called on Mr. R. B. Dennis, Chief of Police of the British Municipal Council at Tientsin, at the British Embassy at 10 o'clock this morning.

It was understood that the two officials started the drafting of minutes regarding the Anglo-Japanese co-operation in the maintenance of peace and order in Tientsin in accordance with the results of the sub-committee meetings.

Major Ohta left the British Embassy at 11.30 a.m. He will have a few more meetings with the British police official.

At noon, Major Ohta met Consul One, Lt.-Col. Ohta, and Secretary Asai at the Military Club to report the outcome of his negotiations with Mr. Dennis earlier in the morning.—Domei.

Many Matters Settled

Tokyo, Aug. 2. The Foreign Office spokesman stated to-day that an understanding has been reached at the Anglo-Japanese conference on nearly all questions respecting the policies of the silver question.

The spokesman added that the historical background of the silver question has been fully discussed by the silver committee.—Reuter.

No Meetings Yesterday

Tokyo, Aug. 2. No committee-meeting or meeting of the round-table conference took place to-day.

It is understood that Sir Robert Craigie is awaiting instructions from his home Government concerning the economic questions, including the proposed prohibition of circulation of the Chinese legal tender and surrender of the silver specie held in the British Concession.

Mr. Sotomatsu Kato, Japanese Minister-at-Large to China, met Sir Robert at the Tokyo Club this afternoon.—Domei.

Further Delays Envisaged

Tokyo, Aug. 2. The British sub-committee on economic issues yesterday recognised the historic background of the silver stocks in Tientsin and the special nature of the economy in North China as manifested in the concentration of export exchanges in the Federal Reserve Bank, according to the yen bloc economy, according to the Asahi Shimbun.

The journal states that documents affirming the foregoing understanding were exchanged. Nevertheless, it continues that the British delegates maintain a strong attitude, declaring that the economic issues will seriously affect the United States, France and other countries as well as Britain. The British delegates show little signs of meeting the Japanese demands in that connection, on the ground that it would amount to a denial of the Chiang Kai-shek regime and recognition of the Provisional Government.

Unless an atmosphere of concord can be established, the success of the negotiations is obviously likely to be impeded.

Sir Robert Craigie in expressing the British view is understood to have put the following case. The Japanese have assumed responsibility for the maintenance of public order in the areas under their control. The formula which was agreed upon before the Tokyo talks was that the Japanese would accept this responsibility, but the present position quite clearly indicates that order is not being maintained. From this it can be inferred that the Japanese Government either cannot or will not maintain it. If they can maintain it, but are not doing so, they are not fulfilling the obligations of the formula, but if they cannot maintain it then they should never let it be understood that they could.—Reuter.

## Press Commentaries

London, Aug. 2. The Far Eastern situation continues to engage the particular attention of the London and Provincial Press.

The Birmingham Post regards the currency question as important to other nations as to Britain, and although the Japanese Government approached it as its own internal affair, if it were so treated it would be the thin end of a very wide wedge.

If it is made the leading question of the Tokyo negotiations there can be no doubt it will have to be submitted to other Governments in a definite form, but for the moment the main issue appears to be the more subtle one of the silver in the concessions.

The report that the British Government is about to surrender the four Chinese who were the original cause of the Tientsin dispute can be discounted. No decision has been taken and none is contemplated immediately.

The spokesman added that all sub-committees dealing with the policing and economic measures in Tientsin have finished their "fact finding" work. He confirmed that an understanding has been reached on almost

## JAPAN'S REPLY

## Navy Equal To Any Emergency

Shanghai, Aug. 2.

"The Japanese Navy is convinced it has enough strength not to be defeated by any other navy in the world," declared the Japanese army spokesman when his attention was drawn to a statement by Admiral Ernest G. King, Chief of United States Naval Operations, that the American Fleet can defeat the fleet of any other naval power in the world.

Asked if his remark applied only to the Western Pacific or anywhere else, the spokesman said that the Japanese Navy is always prepared to carry out its duty as a branch of national defence. He emphasized that Japan's naval policy was based on non-aggression and non-expansion.

Asked how he could reconcile his confidence in the Japanese Navy's ability with its inferior tonnage, the spokesman declared that it has been the traditional policy of the Japanese Navy not to rely on quantity but on quality.

Asked if he could express his views on what would happen if the Japanese Navy had to face a combination of navies, the spokesman said the results would be unpredictable, but the Japanese Navy is determined to carry out its duty regardless of odds, and has full confidence in its ability to deal with any situation by putting to practice the principles of the Japanese spirit. The Japanese forces are trained not to fear any enemy larger or despite an enemy smaller and weaker.

Questioned as to whether he had confidence in Japan's ability to keep up with a naval race, the spokesman said that the Japanese Navy is carrying out its programme to perfect national defence, and the Japanese nation is ready to undergo any sacrifice to attain this end.—Reuter.

Cabinet Meeting

London, Aug. 2.

The latest developments in the Far East will be the subject of a speech to be made by Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, in the House of Commons tomorrow.

Lord Halifax will explain the attitude of the Cabinet agreed upon at the weekly Cabinet meeting to-day. The same questions were discussed by the Cabinet's Foreign Affairs Committee yesterday.

The new instructions requested by Sir Robert Craigie will also be despatched to him after to-day's Cabinet meeting.—Trans-Ocean.

Britain Protests

London, Aug. 2.

In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Chamberlain announced that Sir Robert Craigie has been instructed to enter a further vigorous protest against the continuance of anti-British agitation in North China.

Answering supplementary questions, the Prime Minister said he was keeping in the closest touch with the French and United States Governments in view of these developments.

No decision has yet been made respecting the four Chinese in Tientsin who are accused of murder.—Reuter.

Japan's Obligations

London, Aug. 2.

A British spokesman, commenting on the intensified anti-British campaign, declared that Japan has either violated the recent Anglo-Japanese formula or undertaken a responsibility under that formula which she appears unable to fulfil.

It is understood that Sir Robert Craigie in his latest representations reminded the Japanese authorities that Japan assumed the responsibility for "maintenance of public order" in the areas under her control.—Trans-Ocean.

Craigie Makes Point

London, Aug. 2.

At present there is no indication in London of any intention of calling off the Tokyo talks on account of the anti-British incidents, but nevertheless it is fully recognised that these make the negotiations extremely hazardous, and Sir Robert Craigie has made this point clear to the Japanese Government.

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Food And Defence

London, Aug. 2.

The appointment of the existing Minister in war time is envisaged in the Food and Defence Bill, the text of which was issued to-day.

The Bill provides for transfer to the Food and Defence Minister of the powers and duties of the Board of Trade in relation to the plans for the supply, control, accumulation, storage and transport of food, forage and other raw materials in time of war.

The Food and Defence Minister is also empowered to make payments from the Exchequer to meet the expenses incurred in securing additional protection from hostile attack for essential food and forage undertakings.—Trans-Ocean.

Closure Of Sincerity

London, Aug. 2.

A British cruiser squadron, headed by the battleship Warspite, anchored in the Bosphorus to-day on a visit to Turkey.

The whole Turkish fleet steamed out to meet the British fleet and a salute was given Sir Andrew Cunningham, Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean.

The Turkish press welcomes the visit of a British naval squadron and said that it was a British symbol of the sincerity of the Anglo-Turkish alliance.—Trans-Ocean.

Turkish Ally

Paris, Aug. 1.

The conversations of the French General Huntzinger in London will be concerned chiefly with the arrangements with the British General Staff regarding Anglo-French cooperation with Turkey.—Trans-Ocean.

## Canton Consul Leaves

Canton, Aug. 2. Mr. A. P. Blunt, British Consul-General during one of Canton's most critical periods, left for Hongkong this morning on the Kaiho Maru en route to England on nine months' special leave. Leading figures among the foreign community gathered at the British Bridge to bid farewell.

Owing to the temporary closure of the river, Mr. Blunt was only able to leave through the good offices of a Japanese colleague, Mr. Okazaki, who had specially arranged the ship.—Reuter.

## Elaborate Plan

## Germany Encircling Polish Nation

Paris, Aug. 2.

It is reported here to-day that Germany is alleged to have made an offer to Hungary under which the Reich would transfer Slovakia to Budapest in return for free passage of German troops and temporary establishment of troops at various strategic points in Hungary.

The newspaper L'Ordre says that it was part of Germany's preconceived plan to encircle Poland in order to crush her before the western Powers are able to come to Warsaw's aid.

The paper alleged that 400,000 German troops are already concentrated on the Moravian frontier for eventual action against Poland.

According to the report the Nazis hold the view that "dismemberment could be accomplished without too great a risk of war on condition that Poland was encircled. In advance—that is, the German troops must have sufficient mobility to deliver a rapid and lightning blow before Poland could receive effective assistance."

The paper, which says that this information has already reached London, also reported that "according to certain well founded reports which have reached London recently, the Germans offered Slovakia to Hungary in exchange for an agreement under which German troops would obtain the right of free passage to Hungary and virtual control of all strategic points in that country. The consequence of such manoeuvres are visible. It is estimated that the Reich has 1,800,000 men under arms at present and that this force would attain 2,000,000 at the climax of the manoeuvres."

The German and Italian manoeuvres and the Hungarian border incidents are attracting very wide attention here and it is stated that Europe is on the threshold of a slowly resurgent tension.—United Press.

French Fear Grow

Paris, Aug. 2.

The opening of the frontier between Danzig and East Prussia, thus effecting an economic anschluss preparatory to total fusion of the Free City with the Reich, is being discussed in Danzig circles, according to L'Espresso.

The paper sees a danger of the situation becoming inflamed. If Poland protests against the orders given recently by the Danzig Senate not to recognise the authority of certain Polish officials.—Reuter.

Naval Units To Visit Turkey

Ankara, Aug. 2.

The two Turkish ports of Istanbul and Smyrna received on Wednesday morning the visit of British naval units. The battle cruiser Warspite, escorted by four destroyers, put in at Istanbul, and the battle cruiser Malaya arrived at about the same time at the port of Smyrna.

This is the first time that Turkey has given the permission for warships of foreign power to enter the port of Smyrna.

## DOUBLE SUCCESSES SCORED AT ARMY ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS



Two fine double successes were achieved when the Army Individual Championships were concluded at Aldershot, yesterday.

2nd-Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regiment, R.A.) won the 100 Yards in 10 sec. and the Furlong in 24 sec., while Pte. A. G. Baldwin (Depot the East Lancashire Regt.) retained his Half-Mile title in 1 min. 50.2 sec., and also won the Quarter-Mile, beating Lieut. H. FitzG. Blond (2nd Bn. the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers) by inches in 50.8 sec. Baldwin had an easy victory in the Half-Mile, going away over the last 200 yards to win by twelve yards from 2nd-Lieut. M. G. Elliot (1st Bn. the Suffolk Regt.).

Lieut. F. R. Webster (2nd Searchlight Regiment, R.A.), the A.A.A. champion, added an inch to the Army record for the Pole Vault when winning that event at 12 ft. 7 in., while the best time for the 120 Yards Hurdles was equaled by Capt. O. C. W. White (The Dorsetshire Regt.).

100 Yards.—2nd-Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regt.), 1; Cpl. H. Barrett (1st Divisional Signals), 2; Gdns. A. Richardson (1st Bn. Coldstream Guards), 3. 1 Yard: Time, 10 sec.

220 Yards.—2nd-Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regt., R.A.), 1; Gdns. A. Richardson (1st Bn. Coldstream Guards), 2; Cpl. J. G. Pearce (1st Bn. the Royal Welsh Fusiliers), 3. 3 Yards: Time, 24 sec.

440 Yards.—Pte. A. G. Baldwin (Depot the East Lancashire Regt., holder), 1; 2nd-Lieut. M. G. Elliot (1st Bn. the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers), 2; Lieut. H. E. Willoughby (2nd Bn. The Middlesex Regt., holder), 3. Inches: Time, 50.8 sec.

880 Yards.—Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regt., R.A.), 1; Gdns. A. Richardson (1st Bn. Coldstream Guards), 2; Cpl. J. G. Pearce (1st Bn. the Royal Welsh Fusiliers), 3. 12 Yards: Time, 1 min. 50.2 sec.

1½ Miles.—L. Sergt. R. G. Cross (2nd Bn. The South Wales Borderers), 1; L.-Sergt. B. C. Daniels (1st Field Regt., R.A.), 2; Cpl. H. D. Hopwood (Tanks Regt.), 3. 12 Yards: Time, 4 min. 28 sec.

1½ Miles—L. Sergt. R. G. Cross (2nd Bn. The Dorsetshire Regt., holder), 1; 2nd-Lieut. E. J. C. Higgins (1st Bn. The King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry), 2; 2nd-Lieut. H. E. Willoughby (2nd Bn. the Royal Tank Regt.), 3. 12 Yards: Time, 50.2 sec.

Long Jump.—Lieut. R. Slaters (Royal Armoured Corps, Depo.) (holder), 1; Cpl. E. Tilley (2nd Bn. The Buffs), 22 ft. 6¾ in.; 2; Cpl. Inst. H. Barnes (A.P.T.S.), 22 ft. 6¾ in. 3.

Pole Vault.—Lieut. F. R. Webster (2nd Searchlight Regt.), 13 ft. 9 in.; 2; Cpl. L. G. Myles (2nd Bn. the Cheshire Regt.), 11 ft. 6 in.; 3; Bdmn. H. Burwell (2nd Bn. the Cheshire Regt.), 10 ft. 6 in. 3.

Throwing the Hammer.—Major T. L. G. Tod (1st Artillery), 130 ft. 3 in.; 1; Lt. Col. G. J. Bannister (1st Bn. the Royal Artillery), 130 ft. 2 in.; 2; Cpl. R. Pendrey (2nd Bn. the Cheshire Regt.), 129 ft. 10 in. 3.

Putting the Weight.—Capt. J. B. H. Keay (The Queen's Royal Regt.), 1; 2nd-Lieut. H. R. A. S. C. 41 ft. 10½ in.; 2; Lt.-Cpl. Nelson (1st Bn. The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders), 39 ft. 10¾ in. 3.

### Match Decided In Bowls Singles

M. N. Rakusen defeated J. A. R. Selby, 22-9, on the Craigmowes Cricket Club green yesterday in a singles championship bowls match.



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## STRONG M.C.C. TEAM TO BE SENT TO INDIA

### Sixteen Players With A.J. Holmes As Captain



London, July 16.  
The M.C.C. have invited a strong team to tour India this winter. Fit. Lieut. A. J. Holmes, captain of Sussex and manager of the last M.C.C. team to South Africa, has accepted the captaincy of the team, which includes no fewer than six amateurs.

The following players have been invited to make the trip:  
A. J. Holmes (Sussex), Capt.  
H. T. Bartlett (Sussex)



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J. M. Broekbank (M.C.C.)  
S. Griffith (Sussex)  
R. H. Human (Worcestershire)  
R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwickshire)  
Enrys Davies (Glamorgan)  
Dollett (Warwickshire)  
Gimblett (Somerset)  
John Langridge (Sussex)  
Mohay (Sussex)  
Nichols (Essex)  
Parker (Surrey)  
Peter Smith (Essex)  
Wellard (Somerset).

Hugh Bartlett  
also in the team.

### Two Quarter-Final Bowls Matches

At the time of writing, it seems unlikely that any bowls matches will be possible this afternoon. But if the weather clears and the greens are fit, the following matches in the quarter-finals of the Open Pairs Championships will be decided:

E. Zimmern and N. P. Karanjia v. H. A. Alves and F. V. V. Ribeiro (Civil Service C.C. green).  
T. E. Robson and H. Nish v. G. Duncan and W. Gill (Kew-Loon F.C.).

### Here And There With "Abe"

### Too Many Delays In Tennis League Ties

CHARLES Hare, the Midland left-hander and Davis Cup player, has been nominated by the Lawn Tennis Association to represent Great Britain in the American Championships, which begin at Forest Hills on September 7.

THE Newmarket Second July bloodstock sales concluded on July 12 the aggregate for the sales being £1,433s. Yearlings monopolised the proceedings at the final sales when good prices were paid.

The highest was 4,500s. by Miss Dorothy Paget who secured the colt by Solaris out of Panie. The colt was one of a batch sent up by Major Courtald.

WHEN the Tennis League season commenced in May, the officials of the Association made it quite plain that postponed blocks of matches due to inclement weather, were to be played in their original sequence at the conclusion of the official programme; and this was made quite plain in foot-notes attached to the fixtures of every division. It is quite safe to say that all team-captains were aware of what they had to do. Yet, for some inexplicable reason, League fixtures are far from completed. Admittedly the weather has not been too kind to League tennis players this season, but even taking all the delay caused by rain into consideration, the fixtures of several sections should have been completed weeks ago. Take the case of the Mixed Doubles, in which seven teams participated, thus requiring each team to play six matches in all. This division started on May 19, and if all the matches had been played according to schedule, the programme would have finished on June 30. But rain interfered with several fixtures, and a delay of a week was inevitable. If it were only a question of one or two matches outstanding, one could understand that with three matches outstanding more than four weeks after the original programme should have concluded, one feels that something is wrong somewhere.

A Complaint

TWO flying northern golfers, a professional and an amateur, made golfing history on July 12, by playing five rounds of 18 holes each in five different countries—Scotland, Ulster, Isle of Man, England and Wales. Their journey from course to course by plane. They were Sidney Gleave, a Macclesfield motor engineer, and Ernest Smith, professional at Davyhulme Park, near Manchester. At Howarden, Flintshire, where the last course was played, Smith had a fine 88, which broke the course record. The terms of the wager specified that Smith must average under 80 for the five courses. His average at the finish was just over 72.

LIVERPOOL F.C. has renewed for three years the contract of its manager, Mr. George Kay. Mr. Kay joined the club from Southampton three years ago. J. Seddon, the former Southport trainer and England and Bolton Wanderers' centre-half, has been appointed Liverpool's trainer.

### FAR EAST FOOTBALL TOURNEY

### Approved By PAAF Committee

Manila, July 31.  
The campaign for the improvement and popularization of soccer football in the Philippines is believed to have gained a decided advance with the recent approval by the executive committee of the Philippine Amateur Athletic Federation of various recommendations submitted by the Federation's football committee headed by J. M. Cleland.

These recommendations include:

1. Proposal to hold an annual or biennial tournament between the countries playing countries in the Far East.

2. Proposal for improvement in the floodlight system of the Rizal Stadium.

3. Employment of a football coach.

4. Purchase of a football film.

5. Purchase of a magnetic football board.

6. Invitation to the Islington Corinthians.

7. Sending of a football team to the Olympic Games in Finland in 1940.

All of the above proposals have been approved by the executive committee of the PAAF with the exception of the sending of a team to the Olympic Games in Finland.

Mr. Cleland, in accordance with the recommendation of the football committee and the approval of the executive committee, during his vacation trip, made a special trip to

Switzerland to confer with Dr. Schlecker, secretary-treasurer of the Federation Internationale de Football Association, with whom the PAAF is affiliated. Mr. Cleland also talked with football officials in London and in Scotland and the result of his investigations served as the basis of the recommendations of the Federation's football committee.

Richard Burton, at the end of his swing.

### Polo Defeat For India At Hurlingham

By R. Sheepshanks

London, July 4.  
In the annual match for the Indian Princes' Challenge Shield, The World beat India by seven goals to six after extra time at Hurlingham. Queen Mary watched the match.

In India, according to the handicap, were four goals the stronger side, but their opponents showed that by vigorous execution of a sound tactical scheme such an advantage can be surmounted. Their tactics were to treat their No. 1 as their scoring unit, and to concentrate their combined efforts on giving him all the scoring chances possible; Guiness, confining himself, with one brilliant exception, to defensive tactics, and the other two combining in attack to make scoring openings for Robinson.

Robinson played a less seclusive game, relying on individual dash and the scoring powers of Prithi Singh. There was very little in it so far as scoring went, for there was never a margin of more than a goal in favour of either side, but The World were certainly playing the better polo throughout, and fully deserved their victory.

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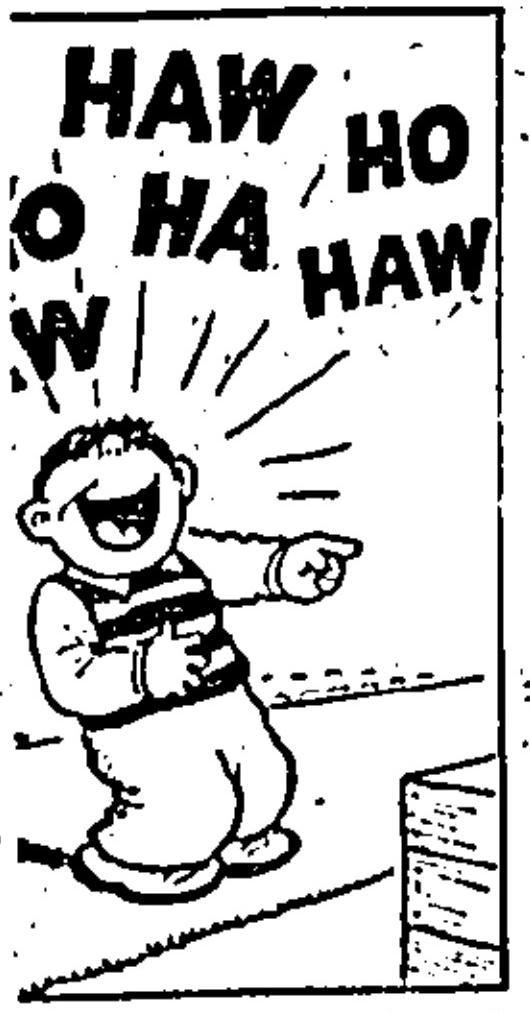
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## Lees Gains His First Big Golf Triumph

## Two Strokes Ahead Of Reg. Whitcombe: Four Of Last Year's Winner

London, July 21.

Arthur Lees, 31-year-old Sheffielder, won the Irish Open Golf Championship at Newcastle, Co. Down, with a score of 287 for the 72 holes.

This was his first success in a major tournament, though he has played for England, holds the Yorkshire Open Championship and has been runner-up for the German and Czechoslovakian titles.

Lees finished two strokes ahead of Reggie Whitcombe and four in front of Bobby Locke, last year's winner, who tied third place.

Thus an Irishman has still to win the Irish "Open." The main tragedy from native point of view was the collapse of James Bruen, who got steadily worse after his brilliant 68 in the first round. His falling away is shown by bare figures of 74, 75, 81, succeeding three rounds—74, 75, 81.

## BRUEN "BLOWS UP"

In spite of that third round of 75 he was still in the lead, jointly with Lees, when he set out on the last 18 holes. Then he "blew up," requiring 43 strokes to reach the turn and 38 to come back—a total of 15 shots more than he had needed on the first day.

Lees started his last round brilliantly with 4, 3, 4. Three putts at the fifth cost him a stroke and he had a 5 at the eighth through being in the rough. Still he turned in 35 and then had a 2 at the tenth, where he holed from 4yds.

His first serious slip came at the 16th, a one-shot hole of 207 yards, where a mis-hit drive caused so much trouble that a 6 went down on his card.

Still this misfortune did not shake him and, finishing with 46, he knew it. A. Whitcombe (Park-

More than 1,000 people were watching him) and they saw his chance go when he missed the green again when he set out on the last 18 holes. Then he "blew up," requiring 43 strokes to reach the turn and 38 to come back—a total of 15 shots more than he had needed on the first day.

Young G. M. White, assistant professional at the Notts club, did very well to finish fourth, a stroke behind Lees. When he returned 74 in the final round he was, for the time, the leader, but, first, Locke and, then, Lees and Whitcombe overhauled him.

White's last round had two notable holes—the 14th, where he got down from 30 yards for a 2 and the 18th, where he was bunkered in 2 but holed from the hazard for a 3.

## HOW THEY FINISHED

A. Lees (Dore) ..... 69 72 74 72—207



Una Merkel and Buddy Ebsen in "Four Girls in White," showing to-day at the Queen's Theatre.

## Indoor Bowling

## A Splendid Performance By A. Odell

In the fourth round of the Mixed Pairs Competition, A. Odell and Mrs. Horton beat Doc Molthen and Mrs. Soong by 46 points at the Hongkong Bowling Alleys yesterday. Odell's score of 206 in the last game assisted

A. Odell ..... 100 163 203 431  
Mrs. Horton ..... 123 173 133 428

Doc. Molthen ..... 100 150 134 400  
Mrs. Soong ..... 143 150 131 415

Total ..... 206

The "Black Dog" ..... 120  
Total ..... 206

In a return match, the "Tartots" avenged their defeat last time by 51 points when they beat the "Black Dog" by 47 points.

A. Odell ..... 123 189 183 503  
Ldg. Sto. Taylor ..... 120 180 150 470  
Ldg. Sto. North ..... 146 197 127 440  
Ldg. Sto. Kavanagh ..... 147 158 127 440

Total ..... 1,001

The "Black Dog" ..... 120

Total ..... 206

G. D. Walker ..... 122 153 164 439  
J. H. Conner ..... 121 150 153 424  
F. J. Moore ..... 118 157 137 412

Total ..... 1,720

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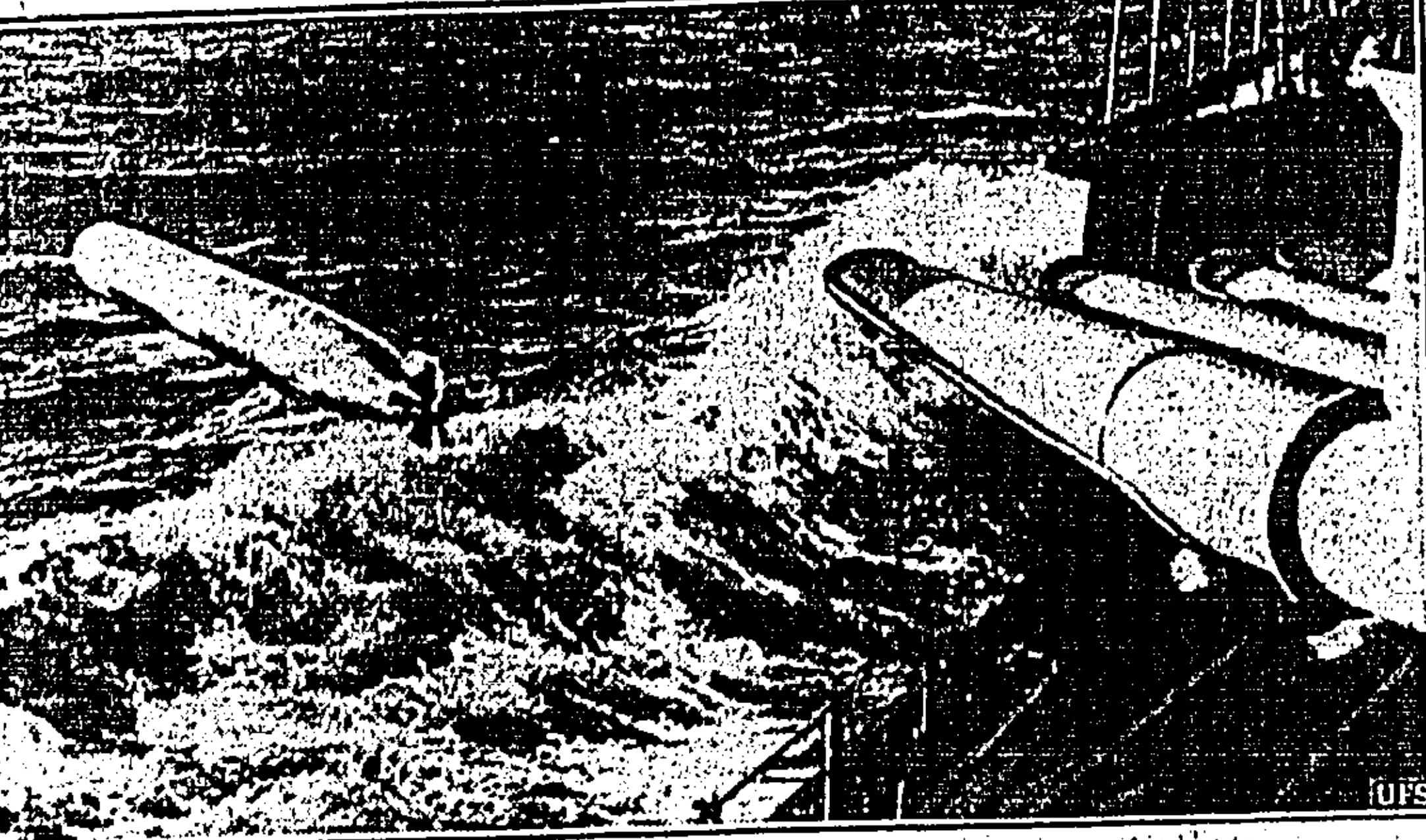
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# PHOTONEWS



Nazi Propaganda Minister Joseph Goebbels is heartily greeted by a Danzig woman, during his recent visit to the Free City. In an impromptu speech he told 1,000 wildly cheering Danzigers that Chancellor Hitler had not forgotten them and their desire to return to the Reich.



During manoeuvres of the German fleet in the North Sea recently, a torpedo flotilla got into action. Torpedo is seen as it was fired from one of the destroyers.



Patrolman Leo Pawlowski of Detroit was called to remove a swarm of bees from a parked automobile. Suddenly the swarm alighted on him. Here a helper attempts to find the queen, as Pawlowski stands rigid.

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**Moscow Talks  
Reassurance**

Moscow, Aug. 1.

The Soviet broadcasting system today included in its news service a translation of Mr. Chamberlain's speech made in the House of Commons yesterday, followed by the names of the British military mission.—Reuters.

Commons Resisted

London, Aug. 2. Mr. Chamberlain announced in the House of Commons that the British military delegation to Russia is expected to leave for Moscow next Saturday or Sunday.

The House was asked to consider the views expressed by Sweden, Finland and other Baltic states when considering a conclusion of the Anglo-Soviet Pact.

Mr. Butler said the British Government was taking into account the views and interests of other States. There is no question of imposing a guarantee on states or making them objects of a combination in Power politics, but it had become apparent in course of the Moscow negotiations that the violation of the independence or neutrality of any one of these states would be a matter of vital interest to the three governments concerned.—Reuters.

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Li Ngau, shop boy, was charged  
before Mr. T. J. Houston at the Central  
Magistracy yesterday with larceny of \$14 from Wong Kai. He pleaded not guilty.

Wong said he was walking in Pottinger Street when he pushed him, took the money from his breast pocket and handed it to another man.

An Indian constable said Wong detained Li and handed him over to him.

Li said he knew nothing about the matter as he was merely walking when Wong arrested him and struck him.

Mr. Houston gave Li twenty-four hours to return the money.

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## EFFECT OF JAPANESE BLOCKADE ON COLONY

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—Mr. Alan Graham enquired in the House of Commons to-day whether Mr. Malcolm MacDonald's attention had been drawn to the action of the Japanese authorities in cutting off food supplies to Hongkong and the small ports on the mainland.

Mr. MacDonald replied that the food situation in Hongkong was being carefully watched by the Colonial Government.

So far it had not been necessary for any special steps to be taken to secure supplies.

**Either Violated Tokyo Formula Or Cannot Fulfil Her Responsibility**

## The Value Of Japan's Word.

LONDON, Aug. 2 (UP).—An official British spokesman, commenting on the intensified anti-British campaign in China, to-day declared that Japan has either violated the recent formula agreed upon as the basis for the Tokyo negotiations, or she has undertaken a responsibility under that formula which she appears unable to fulfil.

### JAPAN REMINDED

It is understood that in his most recent representations to Japan, the British Ambassador to Tokyo reminded the Japanese that Japan had assumed responsibility for the maintenance of Public order in areas under their control.

The British Prime Minister has agreed to surrender the four Chinese in the Tientsin concession.

"No decision has been arrived at," he declared.

Also, he said, he had received no official information regarding the stripping of two British women.

**Opposition Strengthened**

Meanwhile, it is believed that British opposition to Japan's currency demands has been strengthened after consultations with France and the United States.

It is reported that France has pledged her full support to a refusal to surrender the silver held in foreign banks in the Tientsin concessions, while it is also believed that the United States has indicated strong opposition to foreign support for Japanese currency.

To-day's Cabinet meeting is understood to have discussed the advisability of denouncing the Anglo-Japanese trade treaty in the event of the Tokyo negotiations failing. However, Britain has made it clear that she desires to keep the conference intact as long as possible.

**Canadian Support**

Britain is further encouraged by Canada's attitude towards denunciation of the treaty, despite the Dominion's heavy exports to Japan. On the other hand, the enormous stake of Australian wool and Indian cotton exports to Japan account for the absence of enthusiasm from Australia and India regarding the denunciation.

Meanwhile, authentic information has revealed the growing disengagement of the Japanese militaryists in the face of the uncertainty regarding a possible embargo of United States and British trade.

**Violent Fighting**

SHANGHAI, Aug. 3 (Central).—Violent fighting has been resumed at Tsinckiang, on the Han River about 95 miles above Hankow.

The Chinese took the offensive yesterday. In a five-hour engagement they slew over 200 Japanese.

The Japanese are holding out.

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## 1,300 BRITISH PLANES IN TEST OF DEFENCES

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—Approximately 1,300 planes will participate in the R.A.F. Home defence exercises which are taking place from August 8 to August 11 on a larger and more comprehensive scale than ever before.

The principal objects of the exercises are to test the air and ground defence of Great Britain against air attack, and the organisation and efficiency of the forces participating.

The area of the exercises will be in the north and east in a line connecting Macclesfield, Drontheim, Salisbury and Bournemouth.

There will be approximately 800 defending planes, of which 500 will be fighters.

The ground defences include anti-aircraft, searchlight, and balloon barrage units.

The attacking force will number 500 bombers, presumed to have come from territories east of the A.R.P. on the night of August 9 and 10, when there will be a blackout in London.

It is intended to pursue this claim vigorously.

"Reuters" was informed that heavy stocks of tea held were valued for this purpose as at July 6, since when the values have appreciated.

### CLIPPER DELAYED

DUE to adverse weather conditions the California Clipper did not leave Kai Tak Airport as scheduled this morning.

Departure of the Boeing has been delayed until 8.30 a.m. to-morrow.

The death was reported in Shanghai yesterday of Dr. Carel, surgeon on board the French gunboat Doudard de la Cour, who succumbed to illness at Hankow on July 16.

Only 26 years of age at the time of his death, Dr. Carel was well-known in Shanghai for his prowess on the rugger field captaining the French Forces XV last winter. In his native country, Dr. Carel was also prominent in rugger circles, representing France in several International matches.

He left Shanghai for his station at Hankow last April, and the malady which caused his death has so far not been ascertained.

## 8,000 Troops For Malaya

SINGAPORE, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—At least 8,000 troops are being sent to Malaya from India, it is understood on reliable authority.

The first units are arriving next week, and the reinforcements are likely to remain for some time.

While some will be stationed in Singapore, a considerable proportion will be sent to Penang, which is assuming the role of a new fortress guarding the western approach to Singapore.

## 180 SHIPS FOR NAVY

### Submarine Menace Conquered

#### SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 2 (UP).—Security was again emphasised in Parliament to-night, when Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Financial Secretary to the Admiralty, revealed that another 180 vessels had been ordered for the Royal Navy.

Most of these vessels will be employed on anti-submarine duties.

A similar statement was made in the House of Lords by Lord Stanhope, First Lord of the Admiralty.

The new ships, Lord Stanhope said, would be equipped with a new anti-submarine device which would be unmatchable by other nations.

"I have had an opportunity of seeing the new device and, like the naval authorities, feel that, under ordinary conditions, we can hunt out a submarine and make certain of finding it."

"I believe this is also the view of certain other Powers, which have not got this apparatus or anything like it."

#### Can Deal With Problem

"It will be recalled that when we announced our intention of sinking any submarine in a specified area in the Mediterranean during the Spanish Civil War, the attacks on third Power merchantmen promptly ceased.

"I think that this was recognition that the British Navy could deal with the question of submarines."

Lord Stanhope's statement arose during a debate in the House of Lords on a motion for the abolition of submarine warfare.

#### Additions To Fleet

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—It has been decided to make a considerable addition to the 1939 programme of new naval construction, stated Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare in the House of Commons to-day.

The additions included 107 trawlers for mine-sweeping and anti-submarine duties, of which 20 would be specially built for the purpose, and the rest would be purchased and converted.

It was also proposed to construct 50 vessels of the whale-catcher type, some for service as patrol vessels, and some for anti-submarine duties.

There would be 10 mine-sweepers, six boom defence vessels, and one cable ship the total number of vessels involved in the foregoing being 180.

Scouting dock to accommodate small craft up to 8,000 tons had also been purchased. Further additions were contemplated, but Mr. Shakespeare said he was unable to give details at the moment.

## Latvia To Buy From Manchukuo

TOKYO, Aug. 3 (Domestic).—The Latvian Government recently placed with the Mitsubishi Trading Company an order for 900,000 Yen worth of soy beans produced in Manchukuo. It was revealed here to-day.

It is understood that the soy beans will be used in the Government-managed oil-works, which have a capacity of 10,000 tons a year.

BERLIN, Aug. 2 (UP).—Germany's Army, Navy and Air Force leaders to-day pleaded for peace.

Coupled with the gesture, however, were fiery statements regarding the preparedness of the Reich's armed forces and the use to which they would be employed if war again came to Europe.

### PLEDGE TO HITLER

The occasion—the twenty-fifth anniversary of Germany's entry into the Great War—was utilised to pledge new support for Herr Hitler.

The statements were issued in the form of proclamations to the three Services—to the Army by General Brauchitsch, to the Navy by Admiral Raeder and to the Air Force by Air Marshal Goering.

General Brauchitsch's proclamation to the Army denounced the "attempts to encircle the Reich."

"We want peace," he declared.

"But if another conflict should be forced upon us, our Army will fight with the inner determination, readiness and courage in defending Germany's vital rights."

#### Superiority!

"Once again, too, our troops will prove the superiority of German soldiers."

Admiral Raeder, after citing the achievements of the German Navy in the Great War, said:

"Great tasks have been given to the newly-strengthened German Fleet."

"If duty calls, we will battle for the power and greatness of the Reich, true to our oath, and remembering the heroic conflicts and brothers of our fathers and brothers."

#### Goering's Bombast

Air Marshal Goering issued the longest of the three proclamations. He recalled the feats of the German Air Force during the Great War, and its reconstruction since Germany tore up the Treaty of Versailles.

"In the last few years," he declared, "I have done my best to make our Air Force the greatest and mightiest in the world."

"Its strength and preparedness has, in great part, made possible the creation of our Greater German Reich."

"But from the spirit of German clerks in the Great War, and sworn to the ideals of our Fuehrer and Commander-in-Chief, the German Air Force stands to-day ready to carry through with lightning speed and under force of arms every and any order of the Fuehrer."

#### (SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH")

### II Duce Sees Manoeuvres

MILAN, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—Piloting his own plane, Signor Mussolini observed the beginning of the Italian army manoeuvres from the air.

He and King Victor Emmanuel later conferred in the camp headquarters near Novara.

Afterwards II Duce flew back to Rimini, while King Victor embarked for an inspection of the line.

#### Watch Kept On Events

In Danzig

WARSAW, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—The Polish authorities are closely watching what appears to be the development of a movement in Danzig to try economic methods of bringing about the incorporation of the Free City and the Reich.

The clamour raised in Danzig against Poland's action in withdrawing customs inspectors from the margarine factory, and restricting the importation of Danzig herrings is regarded as significant.

Polish circles are quick to point out that any attempt to open a customs frontier with East Prussia, about which claims have been made in some Danzig quarters, would constitute a unilateral change.

In the status of the Free City, which Poland could not tolerate.

The press declares that reprisals are not called for, since Poland's action is taken in consequence of Danzig's treatment of Polish customs officials.

It is emphasised that repeated

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## War Strain



### Husband Says "No" To Jury's £1,600 Award

A HUSBAND said to have been "robbed of a rare type of wife," refused damages of £1,600 assessed against a co-respondent in the Divorce Court recently.

His counsel said he did not want more than £1,000, and Mr. Justice Langton, granting him a decree nisi, entered judgment for that sum with costs against the co-respondent.

Mr. David Henry Milward, of Calow Farm, Hereford, assistant surveyor and engineer to Herefordshire County Council, charged his wife, Heryl Eileen, with misconduct with Mr. Frederick Thornton, whose acquaintance they made when they went to the Argentine under a colonising scheme.

Mr. Justice Langton told the jury that Thornton, a cultivator on a larger scale than Mr. Milward, had

## Baronet's Daughter "Lent" £30,000 to Her Chauffeur



### Pinch of War Is Becoming Evident

In Tokyo, as this ancient monkey cart appears on streets of Japanese capital. Gasoline is so important that a drop of it is now compared to a drop of blood.

### Daughter For Peer Aged 67

A daughter was born at Udny Castle, near Aberdeen, recently to Lady Belhaven and Stanton, 22-years-old wife of Lord Belhaven and Stanton, 67-years-old, politician and soldier.

"Both Lady Belhaven and her daughter are very well," it was stated at the castle.

Lord Belhaven and Stanton married for the second time in March last year, a month after he had met Miss Sheila Pearson, of Knoll Farm, Aldington, Kent, in Mentone.

robbed him of a rare type of wife in a woman peculiarly suited to the adventurous life on which she and her husband had embarked.

### German Motorists Not To Smoke

Berlin. GEN. Duluge, chief of the German uniformed police, has issued an order that motorists in Germany may not in future smoke while driving.

The number of accidents in Germany, it is stated, is so high that every effort must be made to improve the standard of driving. A driver needs both hands on the wheel and cannot spare one of them to knock off his ash.

In addition there is always danger of drivers becoming partially blinded by particles of ash flying into their eyes.

"From that source, I know that he laid his hands on £30,000. He used to come to this hotel in a different car every week. And they were all expensive cars. He bought hunters and for a number of years he lived a life of luxury."

To the woman from whom he got the £30,000 he told a story of having a £7,500,000 estate in Germany. He made constant promises to her that the money she "lent" him would be returned at enormous rates of interest. He had no estate in Germany. The money was never returned.

Recently he had been raising money on the claim that he had £17,000 worth of shares in a big group.

## Death Drama Of Man With 100 Poses

MAIDENHEAD. WILLIAM GEORGE BUTLER, 36-years-old man of a hundred poses, claimed "when I die, my death will be as dramatic as my life."

Two of his acquaintances recently searched for him in a gas-filled room here. They were injured when the gas exploded and blew the roof off the building.

Butler, alias Duncan (he had cards printed styling himself Sir William Duncan), was the son of an Eastbourne gravedigger. In the last ten years he had posed as:

A film magnate. Scotland Yard detective assigned to guard the Duke of Windsor. A close friend of Hitler. A war-time Secret Service agent. Millionaire property owner.

This 5ft. 3in., short-sighted tubby little fakir was twice arrested. In between times he spent the £30,000 fortune of a baronet's daughter.

With that money he bought cars, hunters, racehorses, ran night clubs, threw £100-a-night parties, and

gave himself a title.

LEFT CLUB IN ANGER

His second wife is here ill. She was Mrs. Phyllis Dulcie, of Stockton-on-Tees, whom he married last December. Soon she expects to become a mother.

The flat he shared with her here was over a club. One night the two disagreed. Butler, angry, left his wife in the club, went to his flat, and cut a gaspipe in his bedroom.

Hours later the club secretary, Mr. Terry Newns, and Mrs. Frank Keevil, went to the flat at Mrs. Butler's request.

They lit a candle, forced the bedroom door. The gas in the room exploded. Newns and Keevil were burned and sent to Maldenhead hospital.

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"Having no one to turn to I did this," she said, "and very, very sorry indeed for Mr. Hutchinson."

But Mr. Justice Tucker told her: "Having a hard time with your first husband cannot be regarded as an excuse for committing bigamy and deceiving an old gentleman as you did."

Mr. Hutchinson did not make application to see her.

"All that is over and forgotten. I shall not see her," he told me.

### J. P. Shuns Woman He Loved

PONTEFRACT, YORKSHIRE. SEVENTY - THREE - YEARS-OLD Mr. John Hutchinson, magistrate and twice Mayor of Pontefract, stood outside the Assize Court here recently while the woman who had deceived him was sent to prison for bigamy.

He "married" Daisy Coram, aged 42, an hotel worker in the town, in April. She told him she was a childless widow. He altered his will in her favour.

Less than three weeks after the "marriage" Mrs. Coram's real husband called on Mr. Hutchinson and told him the truth—that he and his wife had separated and he had the custody of their four children, aged from four to 13.

"VERY, VERY SORRY"

Mrs. Coram admitted she had deceived him and Mr. Hutchinson ordered her out of the house.

She pleaded guilty to bigamy and was sent to prison for a month.

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### The Quins Getting Slimmer

CALLANDER, ONTARIO. THE Dionne quintuplets, who were put on a diet by Dr. Dafoe because they were getting "pudgy," are now noticeably more slender after a month's dieting.

All have lost weight since May 26, when they were last weighed.

Annette has lost 13lb., Cecile 14lb., Yvonne 1lb., Emilie 3lb., and Marle 14lb.

But only one of them has grown—Annette. She has put on a quarter of an inch.

## "Ration Cards" For Petrol Planned

PETROL "ration cards" for owners of public service vehicles and restricted passenger services—these are two of the Minister of Transport's proposals in case of a national emergency.

The scheme, outlined in a pamphlet recently, provides that all operators of public service vehicles will be allowed, as a "basic issue," a certain proportion of their normal peace-time consumption of fuel.

Regional Transport Commissioners will have discretion to authorize

further issues to enable operators to provide essential services.

Weekly fuel coupons will be issued, but the "basic" amount may have to be varied from time to time.

Some curtailment of road services would be inevitable. Operators have been asked to consider how this can be effected with the least detriment to public interest and the least disturbance of more essential services.

A number of public service vehicles will be required for movement of troops and evacuation schemes. Arrangements are to be made for provisionally reserving these vehicles.

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 10.—No correspondence will be entered in connection with the competition.  
 11.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the entrant's name, age and address on the entry form, complete by a parent.  
 12.—Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.  
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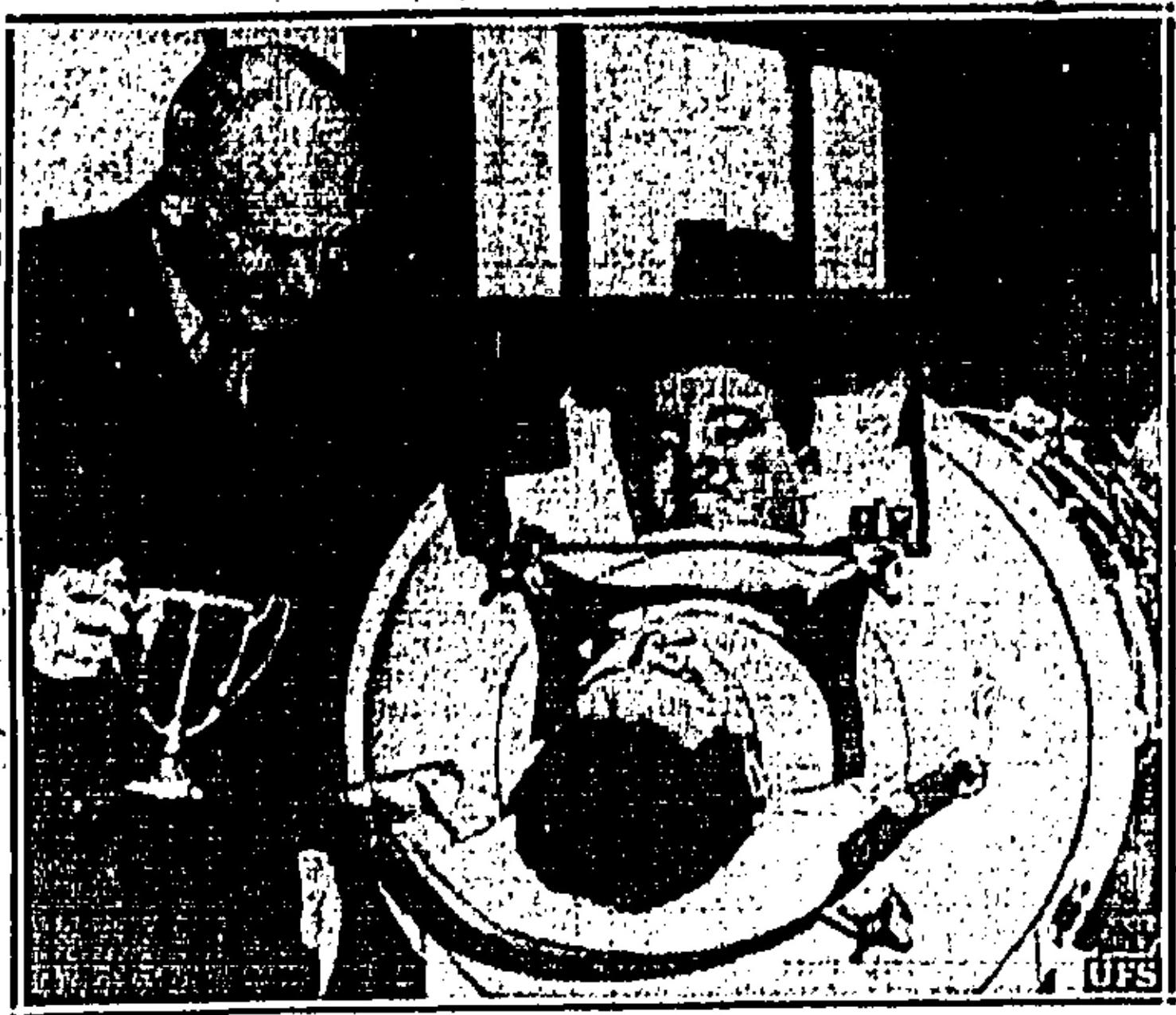
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Fred Snite, Jr., arrives in New York in his iron lung from Lourdes, France, shrine, where he said he obtained spiritual help. His father holds silver cup presented to him as only passenger on Normandie who did not lose a point in ping pong tournament. He didn't play.

### Anti Jay-walking Squad Go on Duty

PEDESTRIANS took kindly recently to a new body of "Courtesy Cops" established for their benefit. The scheme is to be extended almost immediately.

Metropolitan Police have formed a squad of "infantry" traffic policemen to do the same for pedestrians as the mobile "Courtesy Cops" do for motorists—that is, gently to reprove those who act thoughtlessly or foolishly on the road, and to instruct them in better behaviour.

The police took up positions at danger spots in South London.

#### LOUDSPEAKER.

"Will pedestrians please keep to the pedestrian crossings—it's so much safer," booms a loudspeaker at a man

who is crossing the road 30 yards in advance of the studs.

The man looks up a little startled, hesitates, hurries back to the kerb, and crosses at the proper place.

A moment later the loudspeaker is

swung round on its swivel to point to a woman.

"It is dangerous to walk on the kerb with your back to the traffic," it barks. The woman stops, and turns a resentful eye.

The woman thinks better of it, smiles, sheepishly, and walks on—away from the kerb.



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## Man is the Chief Cook in a Women's Camp

By NOEL MONKS

TWENTY-eight-years-old Mr. Dudley C. Folland, wealthy Cambridge Soccer Blue, is defendant in an action for breach of promise, brought by Miss Doreen Stevenson, of Swanscombe. The engagement of Mr. Folland and Miss Stevenson was announced on December 3, 1938.

Five months before they had been pulled from their car when it burst into flames after crashing at the Jersey Marine Golf Course, Swanscombe.

The action was down for hearing at Glamorgan Assizes, at Swansea.

In October last Mr. Folland married Miss Joyce Harper, daughter of the Rector of Thurlestone, South Devon.

Mr. Folland, Rugby player and golfer, is a director of Swanscombe Town Football Club.

Because of his connection with the club the Welsh Rugby Union ruled that he could no longer play Rugby as an amateur.

Mr. Folland's father was Mr. Henry Folland, the South Wales tin-plate magnate.

### Danish Knight Not A Dane

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.

Andrew N. Johnson, Danish vice consul here, recently knighted by his government and decorated by the king, is not a Dane and has never been in Denmark. Johnson was made vice consul after doing considerable legal work for the Danish consular service. He was born in Wisconsin.

I VISITED a war-strength military camp at Cowshott, near Pirbright, and the only armaments I saw was a small axe, used for cutting up the cookhouse firewood. Even the officers did not carry anything more dangerous than a nail file.

quartered in the camp were 160 members of the Women's Auxiliary Territorial Service (City of London), undergoing their first 16 days' field training.

Although they're living like soldiers, and look like soldiers in the smart khaki uniforms, it will never be their duty to pack even a revolver.

Their war-time task will be to take over the hundred and one odd jobs at the headquarters of the regiment which they are attached.

It was expected at the camp at 3.30 p.m., and because I was ten minutes early a pretty blonde on sentry-duty refused to let me pass the gunned tent.

Right on the tick, however, she called to me, "You may pass now." That businesslike attitude of the sentry girl pervades the whole camp, I found.

But they do like the place to look homely. There are buttercups in the meadows by the camp, and each morning a recruit is told off to pick several bunches for the mess tents.

#### THERE'S NO BUGLER

They "turn-in" at 6 p.m., called from their tents by guards who go from tent to tent blowing whistles. The company tried hard to find a trained girl bugler, but none was available.

Breakfast follows physical culture exercises, then 70 of the company march a mile over to Pirbright, where they spend most of their day being instructed in their wartime duties by Grenadier Guardsmen.

As I strolled through the camp I was bursting to know what the rankers called their officers. My officer-guide asked one question. Back came the answer, "Yes-mam." So that was it.

There's only one man attached to this women's camp. He'd been lent from the Guards to instruct the women cooks how to run the cookhouse. As if they didn't know, their looks said.

"We expect to be away 10 months," he said. "We will be taking some films of the things we see, so we have a fully equipped dark room too."

"In the wildest parts of India we shall be more comfortable than in the finest hotel. Switches control the temperature, purify the air, and filter hot and cold water."

When Woman Turns Explorer

Southampton. MRS. LAWRENCE THAW, slim, fashionably dressed New York beauty, thinks exploring is thrilling, but she likes doing it in comfort.

Recently aboard the American liner President Roosevelt she displayed a £20,000 luxury caravan in which she and her husband are setting out on a 14,000-mile journey to the interior of India.

The 40ft. blue and silver streamlined caravan is equipped with air-conditioning and refrigerating plant, modern bedrooms, library, salon, bedroom with hot and cold running water and a two-way radio set.

#### MODERN TOUCHES

Mrs. Thaw said: "My husband designed the caravan, but I added one or two feminine touches."

She pointed to the full-length mirror, the illuminated cocktail cabinet, and the fully equipped make-up tray, which fitted under her bunk.

Mrs. Thaw has been on three expeditions to Africa with her husband, although they had to rough it then.

Her husband is stocky, muscular American, showed me the serious side of the expedition. The caravan is illuminated inside map, the special glass windows which prevent outsiders seeing into the caravan, and the telephone from the bedroom to the driving seat.

"We expect to be away 10 months," he said. "We will be taking some films of the things we see, so we have a fully equipped dark room too."

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Ex-Beauty Queen Had Hoped To Marry

MISS MARCIA FRANKLIN, 25-years-old ex-beauty queen, found dead in a block of luxury flats off Piccadilly, W., recently, had hopes of getting married, according to her father, Mr. Harry N. Franklin, rich trawler owner of Grimsby.

Captain Edmund B. Charteris, wealthy 67-years-old War Office official, was also found dead in the same block of flats but the police are convinced there is no connection between the two tragedies.

Capt. Charteris, who was an ex-officer of the Royal Horse Guards ("the Blues") and unpaid private secretary to Sir Herbert Creasy, Permanent Under-Secretary for War, was found shot, with a revolver by his side. He had suffered from sleeplessness.

#### AN ACCIDENT?

Miss Franklin had also suffered from insomnia, and is believed to have died from an overdose of drugs.

Her father, who travelled to London with another daughter, said at his London hotel, "There is no truth in the report that Marcia left notes stating she had planned to get married but on Saturday was told that the wedding was not to take place."

"I am convinced, as are the police, that her death was an accident."

"I understand she had hopes of getting married at some future date, but nothing definite had been fixed up."

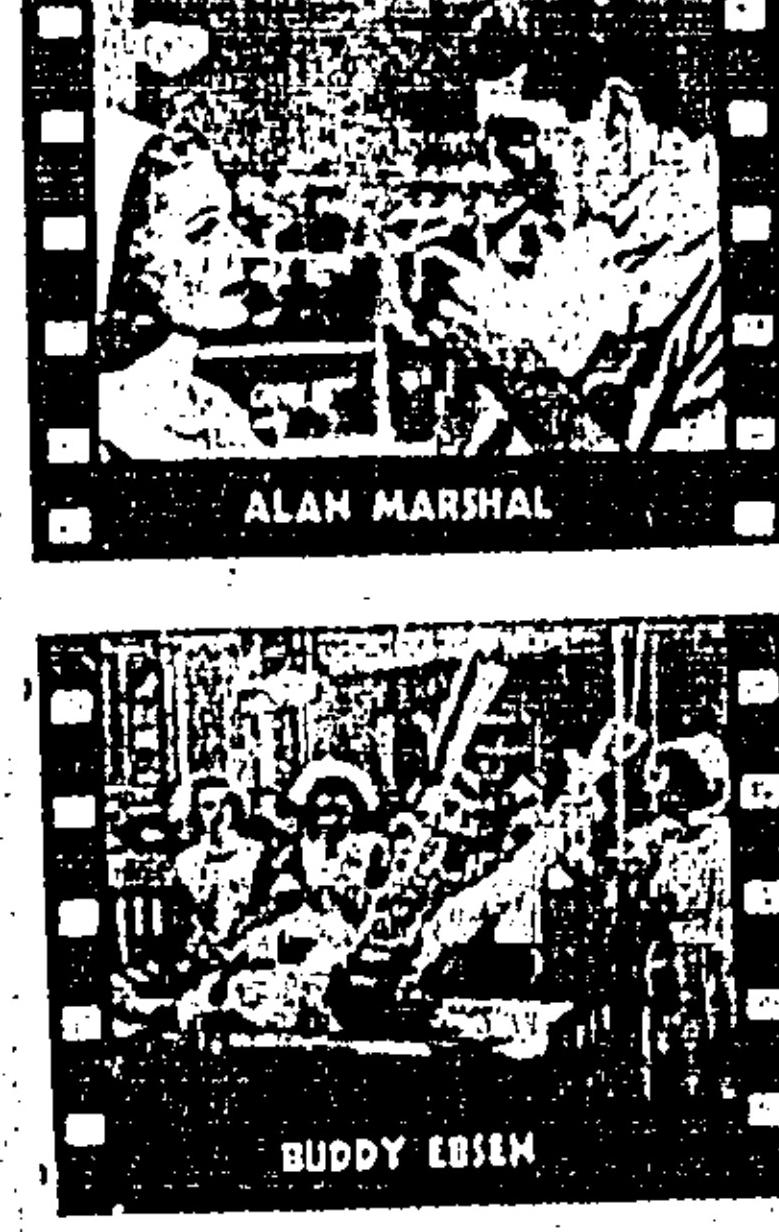
"What makes me feel certain her death was an accident is the fact that she was talking to us on the phone on Friday night."

"She said she had a chill and a temperature, but was cheerful, and declared she was looking forward to visiting us in a week or two.

#### DOCTOR'S ORDERS?

"My view is that she had taken an overdose of a sleeping draught, for she had been taking medicine of this kind for some time on the advice of her doctor."

Mr. Franklin was asked what his daughter had been doing for a living her independence."



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E. I. STRANGE,  
Hon. Secretary.**OFFICIAL NOTICE**  
PROPOSAL TO CHANGE OF A SHIP'S NAME.

I. A. H. Carroll of Alexandra Building, hereby give notice under Section 47 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, that the proposed change of name in respect of the ship "Joan I" of Hong Kong (Official Number 159,509—Gross tonnage 111.69 tons and Register tonnage 69.59 tons) owned by the China Coast Steamship Company Limited, Alexandra Building, Hong Kong, has been authorised by the Board of Trade and that the new name "Gold Leaf" will be registered at the Port of Hong Kong.

Any objection to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hong Kong within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Hongkong, the 2nd day of August, 1939.

A. H. CARROLL,  
Director.**THE "STAR" FERRY CO., LTD.****Notice to Shareholders**

NOTICE is hereby given that an interim Dividend of \$2.00 per Share has been declared, for the half year ended 30th June, 1939, payable on THURSDAY, 17th AUGUST, 1939, or which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Office of the Company, Kowloon Offices of the Company will be closed from TUESDAY, 8th AUGUST to THURSDAY, 17th AUGUST, 1939, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

C. M. MANNERS,  
Secretary and Manager.  
Hongkong, 27th July, 1939.**The Right Way**

BUDAPEST, Aug. 2 (Reuter)—It is announced that Rumania has accepted Hungary's request for the appointment of a mixed commission to investigate the recent frontier incidents.

United Paracales 44

**G. R.****PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS**  
of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 8th day of August, 1939, at 3 p.m. at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Stanley, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 76 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Content	Ann. Rent	Upset Price
1	Stanley, Land No. 6	Stanley	N. H. E. W. feet feet feet feet	As per sale plan.	Aug. 6/8 168	\$1,500

New Royal Island	Adjoining New Kowloon	Inland Lot No. JES, Cattle Rock Road, Cheung Sha Wan	Boundary Measurements	Content	Ann. Rent	Upset Price
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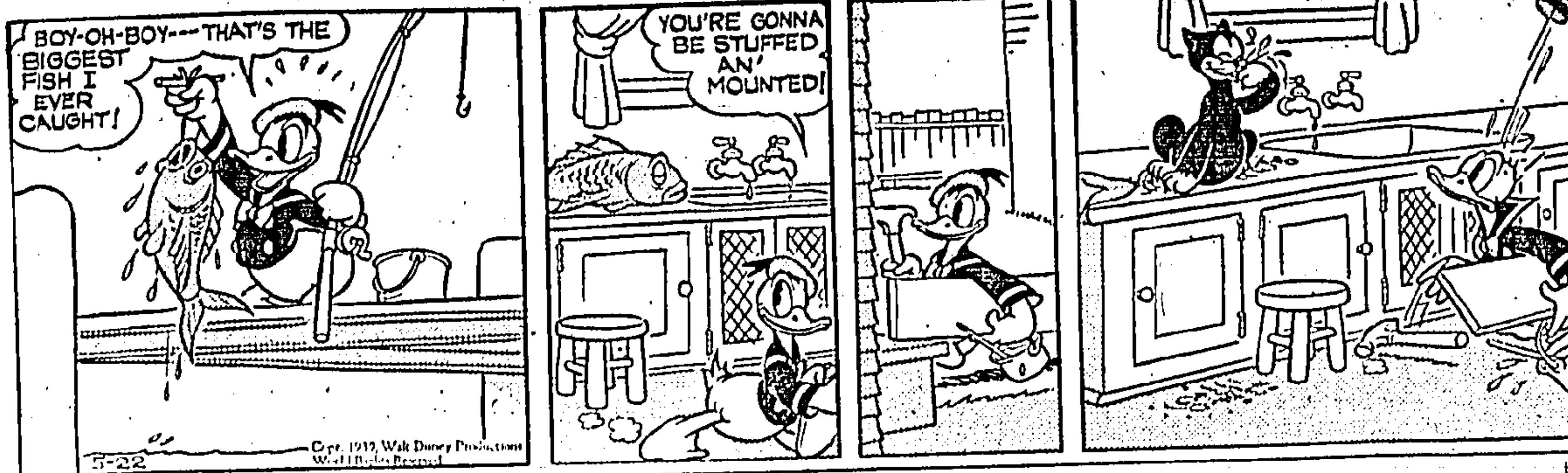
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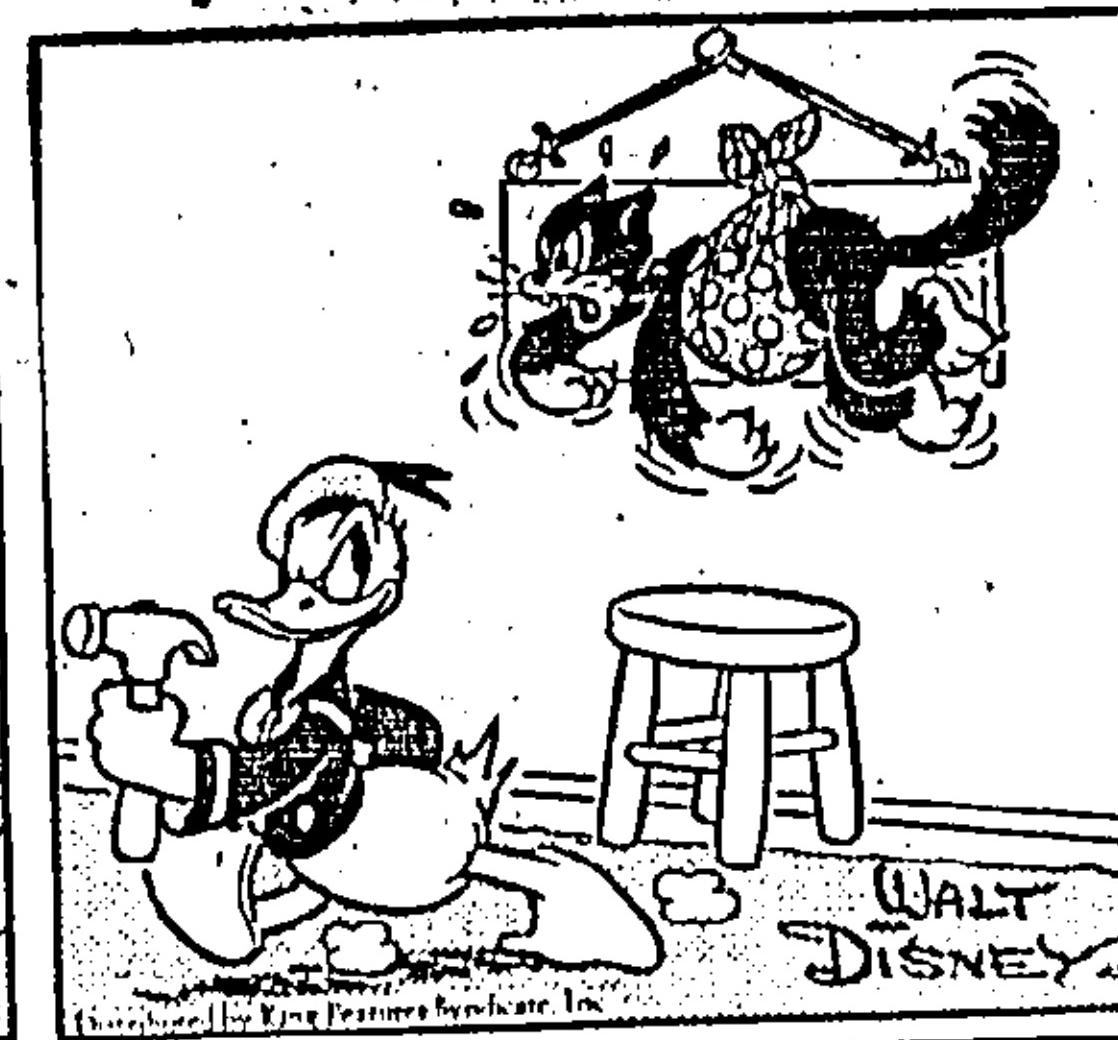
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## ROBBERY OUTLINED

Kowloon Shooting Affray Ends  
In Court for Three Men

Escaping robbers, pursuing policemen, exchange of revolver shots, a pedestrian killed—these were some of the dramatic details given by Mr. J. B. Prentis, Assistant Crown Solicitor, opening a murder and armed robbery case before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

Mention was also made of how Mr. J. L. Youngsaye of the Diocesan Boys' School, had been shot at by one of the robbers.

The defendants were Tsang Sang, 32, Lal Yau, 31, and Yau Sang 32, and they were alleged to have robbed a goldsmith's shop, on May 30, of 76 gold finger rings, 75 gold bangles, 12 gold ear-rings, and 21 gold ornaments; and are also accused of murder of a woman, Au Yeung Yim-wan.

Tsang Sang was further charged with intent to murder L/Sergeant Clifford Pope, and alternatively with disfigure or disable Sergeant Pope, or in order to resist lawful arrest. He was also charged with the possession of arms and ammunition, a mauser pistol and 62 rounds of ammunition.

Lal Yau was additionally charged with possession of rounds of ammunition and an automatic pistol, an automatic pistol, 45 rounds of ammunition and an ammunition clip; shooting with intent to murder police constable C.C.354, H. Fook, with intent to maim, disfigure or disable C.C.354, or in order to resist lawful arrest.

You Sang was charged with possession of 10 rounds of ammunition, and an ammunition clip.

## Two Already in Prison

Two of the defendants Tsang and You, are already serving terms of imprisonment for breach of the Detention Ordinance. They were sentenced at the last Criminal Sessions.

In opening the Crown Case, Mr. Prentis said that on May 30 a robbery took place at 448 Shing-chai Street.

"Like all goldsmith's shops, said Mr. Prentis, this one is open in front and a glass counter runs down one side of the shop, in which are displayed the majority of the shop's stock in trade."

Shortly before noon on that day, the managing partner and his employees were in their respective positions on the premises. Leung Ki, an employee of the shop, was sitting in a chair at the entrance to the shop, whilst Leung Wing, another employee, was at the back of the premises in the lavatory. Suddenly, a Chinese man dressed in black came into the shop and pointed a gun at Leung Ki and told him not to move.

A shot was heard in the street and four other men rushed into the shop. Three were armed with revolvers.

All five robbers ranged along the counter behind which three of the accountants were sitting. With the butts of their guns they broke the glass top of the counter and dipped their hands to extract gold articles.

Whilst this was going on, Leung Wing at the back of the premises heard the shots and shouts of "snatchin'". Realising that the shop was being robbed, he came out of the

Street the lorry came up behind them and Tang alighted.

## Detective Fires

Mr. Prentis stated that when the detective was outside house No. 58 or 60, he drew his revolver and blew his whistle. The robbers, by this time were crossing Sai Yee Street and the detective fired at them.

When the detective opened fire all the four robbers turned around and returned his fire. The robbers were about 30 yards away from the detective. When the exchange of fire took place Leung was opposite house No. 50 or 58 and was standing in the road with a clear view of the robbers.

In the first exchange of shots the detective was wounded in the left forearm and a woman named Au Yeung Yim-wan was also hurt.

When Leung first saw Au Yeung she was standing on the pavement slightly turned and looking back over her right shoulder in the direction of the robbers. Leung suddenly saw the woman clasp her hand over her stomach and run forward towards detective Tang. When she reached house No. 58 she staggered into a shop and collapsed. She was also seen by a woman who was telephoning inside the shop. She stated that shortly after the exchange of shots she heard a woman shout "au yau" and saw the woman three feet away from the shop and with her face turned and looking back behind her.

The second man was arrested and where he had been hiding was found a cocked and loaded automatic pistol and some jewellery. The men had been hiding some five or six feet away from the two Police Officers.

Leung identified the three arrested men as the robbers.

On June 5 a search of the hills concerned resulted in the recovery in a water course of a revolver and an automatic pistol clip and ammunition.

Mr. Prentis then described what had happened when Mr. J. L. Youngsaye, Senior Science Master of the Diocesan Boys' School, met one of the robbers.

Mr. Youngsaye met a man walking and at the same time heard police whistles.

Thinking that some crime had been committed, he retraced his steps and went up to the man who had passed him. The man immediately turned around and fired one shot at Mr. Youngsaye and ran up a bank towards the Braga Estates. Mr. Youngsaye gave chase and two more shots were fired at him.

Schoolteacher's Bravery

Mr. Youngsaye communicated with the Police and continued his attempt to catch the robber. He learned that the man had gone into a shed. The robber dashed out of the shed and was last seen heading for Kowloon Avenue.

A search was made of the Avenue and an automatic pistol 13 rounds of ammunition, and a magazine clip were found.

Dr. H. H. Tai, of the Kowloon Public Mortuary, then testified and gave evidence of his findings when carrying out the post mortem examination on the dead woman.

He said that the cause of death was due to a bullet wound in the abdomen.

Sergeant H. N. Moran, Government Photographer, testified to having taken photos of empty cartridge cases handed to him.

Mr. C. H. Douglas of the Public Works Department testified to making copies of certain plans concerning the Yaumati district.

Police Photographer Li Chung-yiu testified to taking photographs of the dead scene of the shooting of the dead woman, and one of the photographs he produced showed the dead woman after she had been shot.

Further hearing of the case was adjourned to 2.30 p.m. on Friday.

defendant turned around and fired one shot at Sergeant Pope. Sergeant Pope immediately twisted the third defendant in front of him and tried to draw his gun. But before he could do this the two robbers had disappeared.

Detective 354 arrived and Sergeant Pope handed the prisoner over to him.

Detective 354 saw two men leaving the hollow about 30 or 40 yards away from him. On his opening fire they returned shots.

After this exchange of shots the two robbers took the path leading to the Homun Tin Cemetery and disappeared. Sergeant Pope took up the chase and saw the men going down a water course.

He met Inspector Carey and Sergeant Johnson and the chase began again. Sergeant Pope and Inspector Carey and a detective then suspected that the two men had probably hidden themselves in an enclosure, and stationing one detective at the entrance. Inspector Carey and Sergeant Pope went inside the enclosure and began a search.

At 12.40 The Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra.

German Dances Nos. 1 and 2 (Mozart); German Dance No. 3 (The Stag's Ride); K.005 (Mozart); Emperor Waltz, Op. 437 (J. Strauss); "Ruins of Athens"—Turkish March (Beethoven).

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12.30 Songs by Richard Tauber (Tenor): "Had You But Known" (Denza-Brugmann); "Rokoko Love Song" (Meyer and Helmund)...with Orchestra (Sung in German); "Thine My Thoughts" (Maurice Margarita (Helmund)...with Orchestra (Sung in German).

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1.03 Dance Dolores; (b) Blue Hawaii; (c) "The Harmony Three" with Guitar; 2. Little Lady Made Believo...Hal Lorenzo (Jazz-Piano); 3. (a) Solitude; (b) Rock and Roll; 3. The Harmony Three...with Guitar; 4. St. Louis Blues...Hal Lorenzo (Jazz-Piano); 5. (a) "Little Nell"—Novelty; (b) Harvest Moon...The Harmony Three" with Guitar;

9 Cinema Organ.

Torch Tunes Of The Times; Intro: I Go For That; Deep Purple; Gotta Get Some Shut-eye; Hold Tight, I Promise You; I Miss You In The Morning...Sidney Torch; Eric Coates Medley; Intro: Knightbridge March; Northwards; Waitz from "Cinderella"; The Three Bears; London Bridge March; Hermann Lohr Medley; Intro: Little Grey Home Is In The West; The Little Irish Girl; Rose Of My Heart; Where my caravan has rested; Loocore...Sydney Custard.

9.00 London Relay—The News.

9.30 London Relay—World Affairs.

9.45 London Relay—Sports News and Market Notes.

9.50 Rachmaninoff Compositions.

Prelude In C Sharp Minor, Op. 3, No. 2; Prelude In G Minor, Op. 23, No. 5...Boston Promenade Orchestra cond. by Arthur Fielder; Suite No. 2 For Two Pianos, Op. 17...Vronsky and Babin.

10.20 Verdi's "Aida" Act 1...

Characters and Soloists in order of appearance:

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G. Arangi-Lombardi (Soprano)....Aida, Ethopian slave.

S. Bacalloni (Bass)....Pharaoh.

11 Close Down.

6 Studio—Children's Hour.

6 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.02 Light Variety Programme.

Theatre Memories (No. 1—"The Gaely")...Intro: When I Marry Anne (The Toreador); Queen Of My Heart (Dorothy); A Little Bit Of String (Circus Girl); Keep Off The Grass (The Toreador); Bedella (The Orchid); Mary (Our Miss Gibbs); Brighton (Sunshine Girl); They Wouldn't Believe Me (To-night's the Night); 365 Days (Theodore and Co.); Song of the Vagabond (Vagabond King); Every Woman Thinks She Wants To Wander (Mother of Pearl); Rocking With You In My Arms (Seeing Stars)...Debroy Somers Band and Chorus; Together Again (from "Under Your Hat"—Ellie Cleary); Courtlybridge and Jack Hubert with Orchestra; If You Went To Dance (from "Under Your Hat"—Erard and Trafal); Jack Hubert and The Rhythmic Brothers with Orchestra; Water, Candy and Liquor (Spanish Barbera Song—Chueca); Life in Spain (Nieto); M. Zhalnitsa (Barrel-Organ); The Fleet's In Port Again—Fox-Trot (film "O-Kay for Sound")...Debroy Somers Band; Bats In The Belfry (Flotsam and Jetson); Mr. Flotsam and Mr. Jetson with Piano; Dixieland Selection; Intro: Whistling Rufus; Alexander's Ragtime Band; Deep River; Diana; Ragtime Band; Deep River; Diana;

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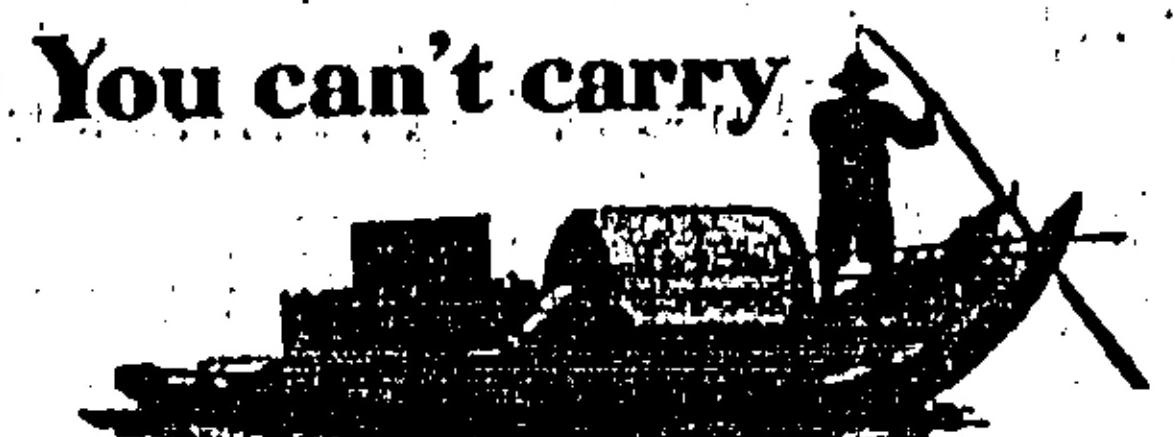
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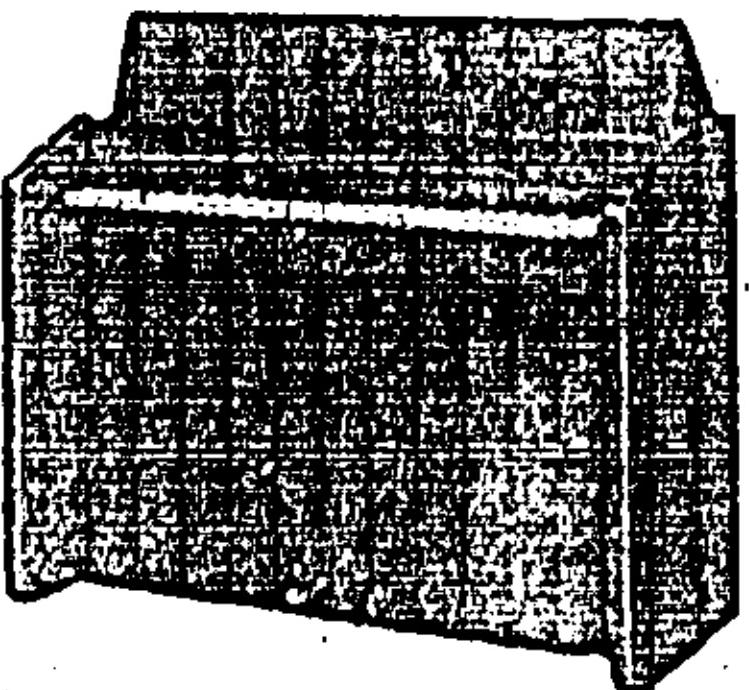
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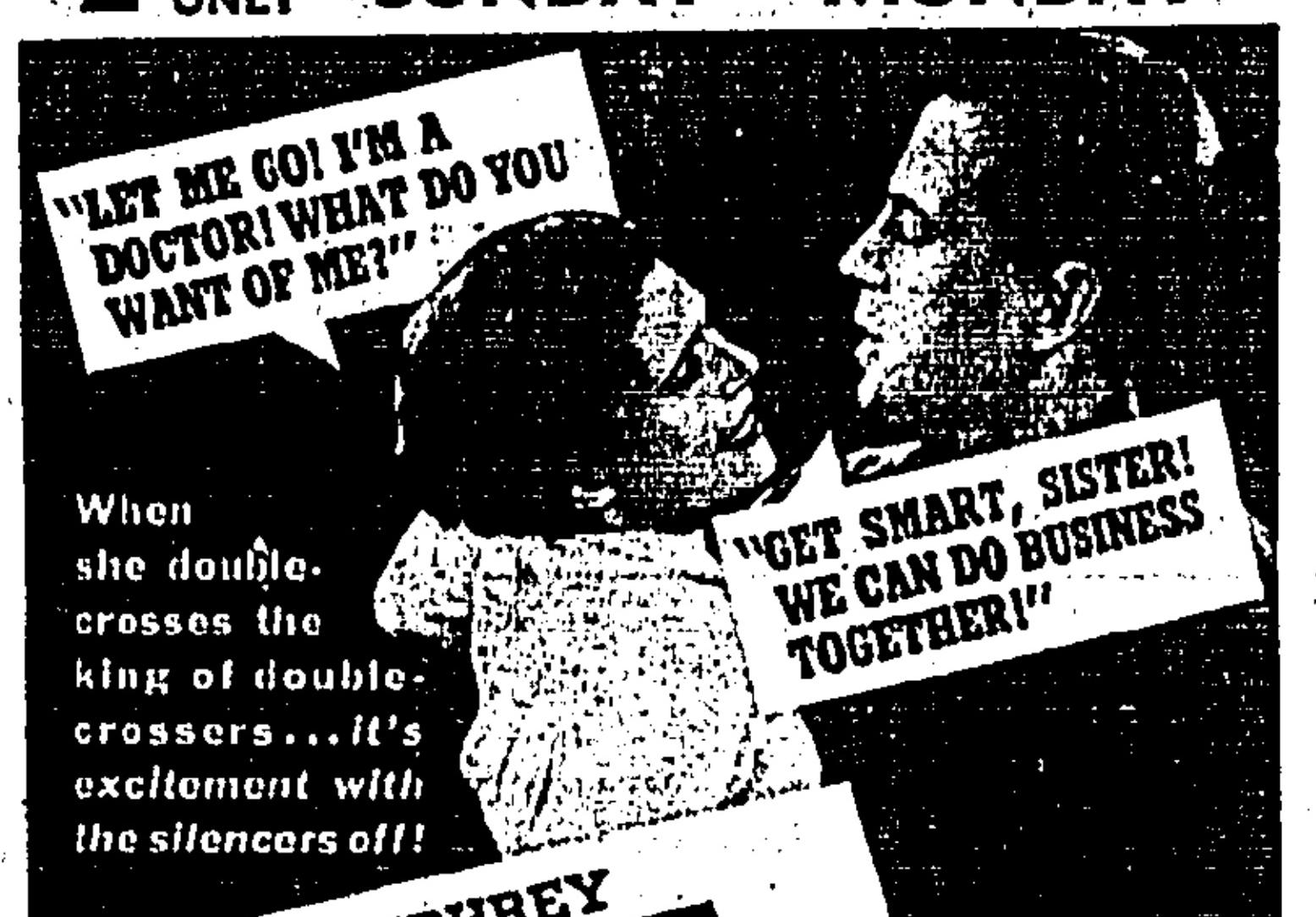
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With the invasion of Albania and control of Strait of Otranto, Italy seals the Adriatic and protects her eastern seaboard from attack

Athens is fearful of 70,000 Italian troops in Albania and military concentrations along Greek-Albanian border, keeps own army mobilised.

Bessarabia ceded to Romania in 1920 by Allies, but since cause of friction between Russia and Romania. But with German influence (in Czechoslovakia) within 90 miles of Soviet border tension cases

Dobruja: ceded to Romania from Bulgaria in 1920. Now under discussion between Bulgaria and Germany in Berlin

Bucharest, capital of Romania governed by royal dictatorship. Romania is most vulnerable of all European nations to Nazi penetration, and with its vast wheatfields (marked // on map) and its scarcely developed oil supplies (wells marked O) must remain as most obvious field for Nazi economic drive. Romania's military and air forces are relatively weak and ill-equipped. Romania has commercial agreements with Germany and Britain (has received £5,000,000 credits from Britain this year), but is mainly dependent upon Germany for continuance of her economic life. By agreement of last March German technicians are now directing and developing Romanian industrial potentialities.

Bulgaria: now in consultation with Berlin concerning Bulgarian claim to Dobruja province from Romania, and direct access to Mediterranean Sea from Greece

and instructors), industry and hygiene.

(f) To provide unified modern equipment and munitions for the Rumanian Army, whose armament is at present varied and in some cases obsolete.

Any tightening of this German control means that Rumania becomes virtually a German protectorate, provides German military strategists with bases for possible action against U.S.S.R.

U.S.S.R., for long antagonistic towards Rumania over Bessarabian problems, is now friendly, watches this "buffer" State of Rumania as carefully as she watches the other "buffer" State of Poland.

# Danzig, the City of Watching Eyes

MY Polish friend Stefan Kowalski asked me to meet him for lunch.

"The railway station at one o'clock," he said, in the mysterious voice that Poles use in the Free City over the 'phone.

At midday it was a struggle to find a seat, though the chairs are—as hard—and the walls as bleak as in any other station restaurant in Europe.

In October, 1937, at a great Albert Hall meeting in London, the Archbishop of Canterbury spoke for the whole of Britain when he denounced Japan. A month later the Far Eastern Conference at Brussels voiced its considered condemnation of the Japanese action.

In the early stages of the war the Japanese assault on the civilised world took the form of attacks on foreign property, and such incidents as the sinking of the Panay. In recent weeks Japan has come out into the open and at Tientsin has made it plain that she desires nothing less than complete Japanese domination of the whole of China, including those parts which have hitherto been the subject of special foreign interests.

Said Stefan Kowalski: "He ate creamy Polish butter on his bread: 'That Gestapo man has become quite an old friend. All we're doing is to watch each other now.'

AND that is the position. A Poles and Germans are just watching and waiting until Hitler makes something happen. They are all sure too that if Poland does not agree to his demands for Danzig and the highway across the Corridor, he will do something. They are wondering when and how though.

Afterwards, as we walked out past the Polish letter-boxes on the walls and the Polish time-table filled with unpronounceable names, Nazi authority was suddenly thrust on us again. A stout green uniformed policeman, holding a typewritten list in one hand, was busily confiscating bundles of English and Polish newspapers.

A couple of hundred yards away again, the gendarmes of Nazi and Polish authorities clashed in combat. Feeling each other across the Neugarten street, which roadmakers are tearing up, are the two buildings between which so many angry protests have been exchanged during the last few weeks.

On the one side, the massive red brick Nazi Senate. On the other, the grey-fronted Polish Commissionariat. In the Commissionariat, professional diplomat, M. Marian Chodacki, a sure representative of the Polish Government, wonders why Hitler's plans to sweep Danzig back into the Reich can be outwitted.

Opposite sits Herr Artur Greiser, burly President of the Senate, who once started the world's diplomatic representatives by thumbing his nose before the League of Nations.

Sometimes Herr Greiser thumps the table with his fist and shouts to his friends: "Ninety-seven per cent. of us are Germans, so why can't we go back to the Reich?"

That is how he has earned a reputation among the Nazis for having more tact than his Irish predecessor, Mr. Sean Lester. For Mr. Lester tried to run the Free City on League lines, and that disgusted Herr Greiser and Herr Albert Forster, the local Nazi boss.

But it is not only the Poles and Nazis who watch each other. From the police headquarters the Gestapo keep an eye on everybody visiting the narrow, three-storeyed grey house where the Jewish headquarters are established, a hundred yards across the Neumarkt-square.

BUT the real city lies away from the Senate, the Commissariat, the railway and the water-front. There, tall gabled houses, painted pale browns and greys, yellows and greens, shadow the narrow, cobbled streets. Behind the old windows

of the Commissariat, another ornately con-

structed red brick building, they tell you, "The Herr High Commissioner is fishing" or "on a shooting party," or "on holiday."

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Outside, squads of brown-shirted stormtroopers—their ranks full of bristling-moustached, red-faced old bandit-generals—march right through the streets, saluting Hitler and snapping up right arms more briskly than in Berlin.

On the sidewalks young men of the labour corps stroll, just back on the holiday from camps all over the Reich.

Behind this show of swastikas and banners lies the power in the hands of the police and black-uniformed guards.

ONCE, in far-away Geneva, in the League of Nations allowed Danzig 1,000 police. Then Herr Artur Greiser complained that Danzig's 1,000 men clattered for military training in Germany.

After diplomats had gathered, it was agreed to allow Danzig's police a number of "recruits." So to-day 500 recruits are established in addition in the big barracks on the Zoppen road—once the headquarters of a regiment of Death's Head Hussars.

But Danzigers themselves will smile knowingly if you suggest there are only 1,500 of these police altogether. They will hint that it is the police and the black-uniformed guards who might move also to liberate the city from within if Hitler should press the button.

Every day squads of these green-uniformed police, steel helmets on their heads, march out with rifles and machine-guns to exercise in the fields and pine woods. And the black-uniformed guards, drilled like soldiers, march through the streets with rifles on their shoulders, openly flouting the statute, laid down by the despised League, forbidding them arms.

Just over the frontier, the silent, grim-faced Polish guards know that they would face a force as well trained as regular troops if ever they should clash.

But for the present the Nazis keep to abusing Poland and the western democracies. Now they are complaining that the presence of so many Polish Customs inspectors is "intolerable."

They say that they have been "molesting" their German women-folk. And the Poles reply that their inspectors are necessary to prevent the Nazis smuggling arms in from East Prussia. If once one of the young fellows "kicked a German," PLEASE Turn To Page 5.

## GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichy



"The wife and I fight every payday—so now I've arranged to get my salary monthly instead of weekly!"

## Britons Do Not Suffer From Jitters—Greenwood

# CHAMBERLAIN PROMISES TO RECALL COMMONS IF NEEDED

LONDON, Aug. 2, (U.P.).—The House of Commons, by a vote of 245 to 129, to-day approved the Government's motion to adjourn Parliament on Friday until October 3.

By a vote of 250 to 132, the House also passed a vote of confidence in the Government, defeating the Labour Party's amendment seeking to prevent adjournment on Friday in accordance with the Prime Minister's motion.

### SHORTER ADJOURNMENT

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Chamberlain submitted a motion that the House adjourn from Friday to October 3, with the proviso that the Speaker should recall the House at an earlier date if he is satisfied that public interest demanded it.

Mr. Chamberlain said that the period of adjournment was shorter than usual, the reason being that the normal business of the session had been interrupted by emergency legislation.

Parliament, he thought, had dealt with all the legislation necessary at the present moment, and the House could be assured that the country was ready for any emergency. The Prime Minister said that there were at least two reasons why the Government might feel it necessary to call the House together during the recess.

One would be if it was necessary to ask the House to pass legislation, not at present contemplated, and the other, if it was desired to have the approval of the House for measures taken or about to be taken to meet an unexpected situation.

**Labour Amendment**

Mr. Arthur Greenwood proposed an amendment, asking that the House be recalled on September 21, because of the uncertainty of the international situation.

Apart from this feeling of apprehension, said Mr. Greenwood, there was a suspicion that once the House rose the Government might take the wrong turn.

### No Jitters

Mr. Greenwood declared: "I am not a jittery person nor do the people of this country suffer from jitters now, but to know that Parliament would meet in three weeks' time would strengthen the spirit of the people and fortify their confidence."

"It only needs one of the great personages in Europe suffering from a bad liver to learn that German subjects had been shot in Danzig and the world was to be at war in 24 hours."

"What guarantee have we when our backs are turned that the Government will not throw in its hand on the question of the triple alliance between France, Russia and ourselves?"

"I am not saying they will, but I am saying they might."

"How does the Opposition know that the Far East is not going to be another Munich?"

### Another Danger Spot

Mr. Greenwood emphasised that it was wiser for the House to sit until the Moscow peace was "in the bag." Suppose Hitler turned his eyes to Yugoslavia, continued Mr. Greenwood, and added that the information he had went to show that the situation there might easily become another danger spot of Europe.

Supporting Mr. Greenwood, Sir Archibald Sinclair, leader of the Liberal Opposition, said that Mr. Chamberlain's recent assurance that there should be no important departure from the declared policy carried them nowhere.

Was Berchtesgaden a departure from the declared policy? he asked. Yet the decisions taken there had set them on the road which had led Hitler to Prague.

What they wanted to know was, before grave decisions were taken, from Berchtesgaden, the House would be able to have a chance to discuss the issues in public.

### Churchill's Support

Discussing the Government motion, Mr. Winston Churchill said that they were safer when the House was sitting.

It would be regrettable to go out of action when the situation was becoming more acute.

Mr. Churchill asked if there were anyone who doubted that there was going to be a supreme trial of will-power, if not of arms.

It would be disastrous, pathetic and shameful for the House of Commons to write itself off as an effective factor at this moment.

Mr. Churchill said he trusted Mr. Chamberlain's good faith, but there might be differences of judgment. To recall Parliament would be to

### SCURRY TO ADJOURN

#### U.S. Politicians Want To Go Home

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (U.P.).—President Roosevelt's congressional leaders to-day threw overboard the \$800,000,000 housing proposal and started a rush for congressional adjournment.

Following a conference with the Speaker of the House, the Majority Leader, Representative Adolf Sabath, denounced the action and at the same time bitterly attacked the House Majority.

He said the scuttling of the Lending Programme "forces President Roosevelt to become a candidate for a third term."

#### Drunk With Power

"The forces of reaction are drunk with power," he declared. "If the President does not become a candidate for a third term it just means that all the achievements of the past eight years on behalf of the common man will be killed as soon as the reactionaries can get to work."

### MINISTER FOR FOOD DEFENCE

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—The appointment of a Minister for Food Defence is foreshadowed by the introduction in the House of Commons to-day of a Food Defence Bill.

The new Ministry is destined to take over part of the duties now incumbent on the Board of Trade. Political circles believe that the first holder of the new office will be Mr. W. S. Morrison, at present Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, who acts in the House of Commons spokesman for Lord Charnwood, Minister for the Co-ordination of Defence.

### Germans Declare Action Illegal

BERLIN, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—German political quarters, which had hitherto refrained from commenting on the separation of the strip of territory known as Caprivi Zipfel from the mandated territory of South-West Africa, and its annexation by the Union of South Africa, to-day declared that the act was illegal.

They added that the League of Nations has apparently not yet been informed of the annexation and that the entire affair must, in view of the present extremely strained political situation, be regarded as a challenge to Germany's colonial rights.

### Bombs Explode In Radio Station

JERUSALEM, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—Three bombs exploded in the broadcasting building here to-day, doing extensive damage, and necessitating interruption of the programme for several hours.

Five persons were injured, including an English announcer and two workers.

### No Postponement Of Elections

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—The proposal that the general election be postponed for two years was rejected to-day by the Premier, who declared that the Government would not consider such a proposal until it had proof that the public really deserved a postponement.

In reply to a question, Mr. Chamberlain indicated that Parliament would be recalled if any radical change in the situation in Europe occurred.

The Labour amendment was defeated by 250 votes to 132, and the Government motion carried by 245 votes against 120.

Mr. Chamberlain treated the matter as a vote of confidence.

#### Back Benchers Differ

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—The debate on the Government's motion was planned to last two hours, but it continued for five and a half.

This was due, states "Reuter's" lobby correspondent, to a strong

### LABOUR WINS GOVT. SEAT

LONDON, Aug. 2 (U.P.).—The Government has sustained another reverse in the polls.

The Welsh County of Brecon and Radnor has been lost to the Government as a result of to-day's bye-election, necessitated by the elevation of the Hon. Ivor Guest to the Peerage. The successful Labour candidate was Mr. W. Jackson, who polled 20,075 votes. The unsuccessful Government candidate was Mr. Haining Phillips. Results of the elections were as follows:

Mr. W. Jackson ..... 20,070  
Mr. H. Phillips ..... 16,043

Labour majority ..... 2,036

1935 ELECTIONS

Hon. Ivor Guest (Nat.) ..... 22,079  
Dr. L. Guest (Lab.) ..... 19,910

Nationalist Majority ..... 2,169

The seat was last held by Labour in 1931.

### H.K. Stock Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Market this morning:

#### BANKS

H.K. Banks \$ ..... 1,325 n.

H.K. Banks Lon. £ ..... 74 n.

H.K. Banks (H.K. Reg.) £ ..... 77 n.

Chartered £ ..... 67 n.

Mercantile A. & B. £ ..... 24/4 n.

Mercantile C. £ ..... 12/4 n.

East Asia \$ ..... 80 n.

#### INSURANCES

Cantons \$ ..... 200 n.

Union \$ ..... 303 n.

China Underwriters \$ ..... 1,35 n.

H.K. Fire \$ ..... 185 n.

#### SHIPPING

Douglas \$ ..... 67 n.

Steamboats \$ ..... 15 n.

Indo-Chinas, P.S. ..... 60 n.

Indo-Chinas, D.S. ..... 30 n.

Shells Bearers s/- ..... 63/9 n.

Waterboats \$ ..... 810 n.

#### DOCKS ETC

Wharves \$ ..... 103 1/4 n.

Docks s/- ..... 16,200 sa.

Prudentials \$ ..... 4,30 n.

New Eng. Sh. \$ ..... 8,30 n.

Sh. Docks, Sh. \$ ..... 108 n.

#### MINING

Kalian s/- ..... 10/6 n.

Raubs \$ ..... 840 n.

Venz. Gold \$ ..... 4 n.

Hongkong Mines etc. \$ ..... 4 n.

#### LANDS

Hotels \$ ..... 542 n.

Lands \$ ..... 34 1/2 n.

Land 4% de s. ..... par b.

Sh. Lands Sh. \$ ..... 9 n.

Humphreys \$ ..... 8 n.

H.K. Realities \$ ..... 47/4 n.

Chinese Estates \$ ..... 100 n.

#### UTILITIES

Tramways \$ ..... 107 1/2 n.

Peak Trams (old) \$ ..... 740 n.

Peak Trams (new) \$ ..... 370 n.

Star Ferries \$ ..... 65/2 n.

Y. Ferries \$ ..... 22 1/4 n.

China Lights (old) \$ ..... 820 n.

China Light (new) \$ ..... 5 n.

H.K. Electrica \$ ..... 53/2 n.

Macao Electrica \$ ..... 18 n.

Sandakan Lights \$ ..... 12 n.

Telephones (old) \$ ..... 23 1/4 n.

Telephones (new) \$ ..... 7,60 n.

Traction s/- ..... 18/ - n.

Traction (Prof.) s/- ..... 21/6 n.

#### INDUSTRIALS

Cald. Magc. (ord.) \$ ..... 14 n.

Cald. Magc. (Pro.), Sh. \$ ..... 13 n.

Canton Ices \$ ..... 1 b.

Cements \$ ..... 12,00 n.

H.K. Ropes \$ ..... 3,70 n.

#### STORES &c.

Dairy Farms (old) \$ ..... 214 n.

Dairy Farms (new) \$ ..... 204 n.

Watsons \$ ..... 840 n.

Lane, Crawfords \$ ..... 7,50 n.

Sinceres \$ ..... 1,50 n.

Wing On (H.K.) \$ ..... 41 n.

Powell, Ltd. \$ ..... 1 n.

#### COTTON MILLS

Ewe Sh. \$ ..... 16,40 n.

Shai Cotton Sh. \$ ..... 105 n.

Zoong Sing Sh. \$ ..... 42 n.

Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$ ..... 49/4 n.

#### MISC.

H.K. Entertainments \$ ..... 6,00 n.

Construction (old) \$ ..... 1,55 n.

Constructions (new) \$ ..... 1 n.

Vibro Piling \$ ..... 8/2 n.

C. Govt. 5% 1925

G. Bonds ..... 33 1/2 n.

H.C. Govt. 5% Loan ..... 102 n.

H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan ..... 90 1/2 n.

## DOUBLE SUCCESSES SCORED AT ARMY ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS



Two fine double successes were achieved when the Army Individual Championships were concluded, at Aldershot, yesterday.

2nd-Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regiment, R.A.) won the 100 Yards in 10 sec. and the Furlong in 24 sec.; while Pte. A. G. Baldwin (D) put the East Lancashire Regt. retained his Half-Mile title in 1 min. 58.2 sec. and also won the Quarter-Mile, beating Lieut. B. FitzG. Blood (2nd Bn. the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers) by inches in 50.8 sec. Baldwin had an easy victory in the Half-Mile, going away over the last 200 yards to win by twelve yards from 2nd-Lieut. M. G. Elliot (1st Bn. the Suffolk Regt.).

Lieut. F. R. Webster (2nd Searchlight Regiment, R.A.), the A.A.A. champion, added an inch to the Army record for the Pole Vault when winning that event at 12 ft. 7 in., while the best time for the 120 Yards Hurdles was equalled by Capt. O. G. W. White (The Dorsetshire Regt.).

100 Yards—2nd-Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regt., R.A.), 1; Cpl. R. Barrett (3rd Divisional Signals), 2; Gdn. A. Richardson (1st Bn. the Durham Guards), 3. 10 Yards, 10 sec.

220 Yards—Lieut. J. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regt., R.A.), 1; Gdn. A. Richardson (1st Bn. Coldstream Guards), 2; L-Cpl. A. Pearce (1st Bn. The Royal Welch Fusiliers), 3. 10 Yards, Time, 21 sec.

440 Yards—Pte. A. G. Baldwin (Depot The East Lancashire Regt.), 1; Lieut. R. E. S. Wyatt (2nd Field Regt., R.A.), 2; 2nd-Lieut. M. G. Elliot (1st Bn. the Suffolk Regt.), 3. 12 Yards, 4 min. 50.8 sec.

One Mile—L-Sergt. R. G. Cross (2nd Bn. The South Lancashire Regt.), 1; Pte. G. Daniels (1st Field Regt., R.A.), 2; 2nd-Lieut. R. L. Lindsay (2nd Field Regt., R.A.), 3. 15 Yards, Time, 21 sec.

120 Yards Hurdles—Capt. O. G. W. White (The Dorsetshire Regt.), 1; 2nd-Lieut. E. C. Higgins (2nd Bn. The Cheshire Regt.), 2; Capt. O. G. W. White (The Dorsetshire Regt.), 3. 15 Yards, Time, 20 sec.

Long Jump—2nd-Lieut. R. Stator (Royal Armoured Corps) (holder), 1; Pte. G. Daniels (1st Field Regt., R.A.), 2; 2nd-Lieut. S. I. Howards (8th Bn. Royal Tank Regt.), 3. 1 Foot, Time, 15 sec. (equal record).

Pole Vault—Lieut. F. R. Webster (2nd Searchlight Regt., R.A.), 12 ft. 7 in. (Army record); 1; L-Cpl. Myles (2nd Bn. The Royal Ulster Rifles), 13 ft. 2 in.; Capt. R. D. Burns (2nd Bn. The Cheshire Regt.), 12 ft. 10 in. 3.

Throwing the Hammer—Major T. L. Geddes (The Queen's Royal Regt.) (holder), 41 ft. 11 in.; 2nd-Lieut. D. G. Brown (Training Bn. R.A.C.), 41 ft. 10½ in.; L-Cpl. Neilson (1st Bn. The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders), 39 ft. 10½ in.

Putting the Weight—Capt. J. B. H. Keast (The Queen's Royal Regt.) (holder), 10 ft. 9 in.; 2nd-Lieut. D. G. Brown (Training Bn. R.A.C.), 41 ft. 10½ in.; L-Cpl. Neilson (1st Bn. The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders), 39 ft. 10½ in.

## OXFORD WALKERS RECOGNISED

London, July 14.  
The walkers of Oxford University have at last succeeded in getting their sport recognised by the University athletics authorities, though for the time being it is more or less on trial. The O.U.A.C. has granted the walkers affiliation for year just to see how it goes. David Christie-Murray, who was largely responsible for organising the first London-Brighton, recently appeared before the Committee of the O.U.A.C., and stated, the case for walking. The reply of the Oxford president F. V. Scopes was on these lines.

After considering the proposals the committee has decided to allow athletes to join the O.U.A.C. for the purpose of walking (and of course, practising other events) at the usual subscription of £1 a year. The Walking Club will be affiliated to the O.U.A.C. and will be entirely subject to the control of the committee. Walking will be allowed on the track at Iffley-road, but it may be found necessary to lay down certain regulations if walkers tend to obstruct the use of the track by other athletes. David Christie-Murray is to be in charge of the activities of the Walking Club and the president F. V. Scopes has asked him to keep him informed of its progress. Our Own Correspondent.

## Match Decided In Bowls Singles

M. N. Rakusen defeated J. A. R. Selby 22-0 on the Craygengower Cricket Club green yesterday in a single championship bowls match.

## Sporting Tit-Bits

JACK Doyle, who is believed to have attracted most of the huge crowd which packed the arena at the White City recently, found himself a little over £3,000 to the good when payment of the light purse was made. BUT he is not quite so well off as is imagined because the British Board of Control are deducting a little item of £500 due from Doyle by way of outstanding debt. The amount also includes the board's customary 5% cut, which operates at big tournaments. All the boxers have now been paid off, they have all received more than they expected, and so everyone is quite happy.

CHARLES Hare, the Midland left-hander and Davis Cup player, has been nominated by the Lawn Tennis Association to represent Great Britain in the American Championships, which begin at Forest Hills on September 7.

**THE** Newmarket Second July bloodstock sales concluded on July 12 the aggregate for the sales being 31,433s. Yearlings monopolised the proceedings at the final session when good prices were paid. The highest was 4,500s. by Miss Dorothy Paget who secured the colt by Solaris out of Paric. The colt was one of a batch sent up by Major Courtiald.

**T**HIS financial position of Stoke City F.C. has never been so strong in its history, and to-day few clubs enjoy such an enviable position. This statement was made by Mr. H. Booth, the chairman, at the annual meeting. It was stated there was a credit balance of £22,344, and that property and assets were worth £39,000.

**T**WO flying northern golfers, a professional and an amateur, made golfing history on July 12, by playing five rounds of 18 holes each in five different countries—Scotland, Ulster, Isle of Man, England and Wales. They journey from course to course by plane. They were Sidney Gleave, a Macclesfield motor engineer, and Ernest Smith, professor of engineering at the University of Liverpool. At Howarth, Flintshire, where the last course was played, Smith had a fine 63, which broke the course record. The terms of the wager specified that Smith must average under 80 for the five courses. His average at the finish was just over 72.

**L**IVERPOOL F.C. has renewed for three years the contract of its manager, Mr. George Kay. Mr. Kay joined the club from Southampton three years ago. J. Seddon, the former Southport trainer and England and Bolton Wanderers centre-half, has been appointed Liverpool's trainer.

## FAR EAST FOOTBALL TOURNEY

### Approved By PAAF Committee

Manila, July 31.  
The campaign for the improvement and popularization of soccer football in the Philippines is believed to have gained a decided advance with the recent approval by the executive committee of the Philippine Amateur Athletic Federation of various recommendations submitted by the Federation's football committee headed by J. M. Cleland.

These recommendations include:

1. Proposal to hold an annual or biannual tournament between the soccer-playing countries in the Far East.
2. Proposal for improvement in the floodlight system of the Rizal Stadium.
3. Employment of a football coach.
4. Purchase of a football film.
5. Purchase of a magnetic football board.
6. Invitation to the Islington Corinthians.
7. Sending of a football team to the Olympic Games in Finland in 1940.

All of the above proposals have been approved by the executive committee of the PAAF with the exception of the sending of a team to the Olympic Games in Finland.

Mr. Cleland, in accordance with the recommendation of the football committee and the approval of the executive committee, during his vacation trip, made a special trip to

## STRONG M.C.C. TEAM TO BE SENT TO INDIA

### Sixteen Players With A.J. Holmes As Captain



London, July 16.  
The M.C.C. have invited a strong team to tour India this winter. Flt. Lieut. A. J. Holmes, captain of Sussex and manager of the last M.C.C. team to South Africa, has accepted the captaincy of the team, which includes no fewer than six amateurs.

The following players have been invited to make the trip:

A. J. Holmes (Sussex), Capt.

H. T. Bartlett (Sussex)



Hugh Bartlett  
also in the team.

J. M. Brocklebank (M.C.C.)  
S. Griffith (Sussex)  
R. H. Human (Worcestershire)  
R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwickshire)  
Enrys Davies (Glamorgan)  
Dollery (Warwickshire)  
Glinbrett (Somerset)  
John Langridge (Sussex)  
Mohor (Sussex)  
Nichols (Essex)  
Parker (Surrey)  
Peter Smith (Essex)  
Wellard (Somerset).

Doubts as to whether the tour would take place in view of the International situation have been dispelled following a consultation between the M.C.C. and the Indian Cricket Board of Control.—Reuter.

Except for a few like Wynter, James Langridge, Glinbrett, Nichols and Wellard, the others are new to International cricket. Moberly, of Surrey, for instance, is a virtual "unknown" outside of England.

Griffith, the Sussex amateur, is acknowledged as a wicket-keeper little short of the highest class.

## Two Quarter-Final Bowls Matches

At the time of writing, it seems unlikely that any bowls matches will be possible this afternoon. But if the weather clears and the greens are fit, the following matches in the quarter-finals of the Open Pairs Championships will be decided:

E. Zimmern and N. P. Karanji v. H. A. Alves and F. V. V. Ribeiro (Civil Service C.C. green).

T. E. Robson and H. Nish v. G. Duncan and W. Gill (Kowloon F.C.).

## Polo Defeat For India At Hurlingham

By R. Sheepshanks

London, July 4.

In the annual match for the Indian Princes' Challenge Shield, The World beat India by seven goals to six after extra time at Hurlingham. Queen Mary watched the match.

India, according to the handicaps, were four goals the stronger side, but their opponents showed that by vigorous execution of a sound tactical scheme such an advantage can be surmounted. Their tactics were to treat their No. 1 as their scoring unit, and to concentrate their combined efforts on giving him all the scoring chances possible; Guinness containing himself, with one brilliant exception, to defensive tactics, and the other two combining in attack to make scoring openings for their No. 1.

India played a less scientific game, relying on individual dash and the scoring powers of Prithi Singh. There was very little in it so far as scoring went, for there was never a margin of more than a goal in favour of either side, but The World were certainly playing the better polo throughout, and fully deserved their victory.

### GUINNESS BRILLIANT

Guinness has played more showy games, but never a better one. He had to deal with the persistent attacks of a first-class No. 1, and did so with a correct restriction, always making the right shot to the player in front of him and picking the right moment in the sixth period to come through and give his side the lead at the critical moment with a specially brilliant goal.

Horsburgh, Porter and Hamilton Russell were always in close touch back each other up in attack, and the former, after playing a hard-working and unselfish game for six periods, had the satisfaction of scoring the winning goal by a cool and rapid individual dash.

Robinson took all his scoring chances, frequently outraging the opposing back, and hitting four goals; all of them being scored with a great shot from 100 yards' range.

The play of India had brilliance without cohesion. Prithi Singh was their best player, and scored three goals, but he could have been worth still more to his side if he had played more to Butler, who was always in a position to take attacking chances, but was not given them.

THE WORLD: J. P. Robinson, Capt. A. M. Horsburgh, J. Hamilton Russell, Capt. H. E. Guiness, INDIA: Capt. W. F. Butler, Rajkumar Prithi Singh, Capt. D. Davy, H.H. the Maharaja of Jaipur.



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## NANCY



By Ernie Bushmiller

## Lees Gains His First Big Golf Triumph

## Two Strokes Ahead Of Reg. Whitcombe: Four Of Last Year's Winner

London, July 21.

Arthur Lees, 31-year-old Sheffielder, won the Irish Open Golf Championship at Newcastle, Co. Down, with a score of 287 for the 72 holes.

This was his first success in a major tournament, though he has played for England, holds the Yorkshire Open Championship and has been runner-up for the German and Czechoslovakian titles.

Lees finished two strokes ahead of that only two men had a chance of catching him—Reggie Whitcombe, who needed 70 to tie, and P. J. Mahon, who wanted 68.

**WHITCOMBE'S BRAVE BID**  
Mahon quickly faded out (he took 80), but Whitcombe went out in 35 and started home with two 3's, holing from 20yds. at the eleventh. But he failed to get home with his seconds the next two holes and was eventually left on the 10th tee needing 3 4 to tie.

In spite of that third round of 75 he was still in the lead, jointly with Lees when he set out on the last 18 holes. Then he "blew up," requiring 43 strokes to reach the turn and 38 to come back—a total of 15 shots more than he had needed on the first day.

Lees started his last round brilliantly with 4 3 4. Three putts at the fifth cost him a stroke and he had a 5 at the eighth through being in the rough. Still he turned in 35 and then had a 2 at the tenth, where he holed from 4yds.

His first serious slip came at the 16th, a one-shot hole of 267 yards, where a mis-hit drive caused so much trouble that a 6 went down on his card.

Still this misfortune did not shake him and, finishing with 4-5, he knew he had won.

A. Lees (Dore) ..... 69 72 74 72-287  
P. J. Mahon (Park) ..... 70 73 75 74-288

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## Baseball

## Giants Trounce Reds Again

New York, Aug. 2.  
The following were the results of matches played in the Major Baseball League to-day:

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

R. H. E.
Brooklyn ..... 0 5 0
Batteries, Hamlin, Tomulis and Phelps, Todd.
Pittsburgh ..... 6 7 1
Batteries, Bowman and Berens.
New York ..... 12 17 0
Batteries, Lohrman and Danning.
Cincinnati ..... 2 6 1
Batteries, Thompson, Davis, Johnson and Lombard, Wilson.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

R. H. E.
St. Louis ..... 1 4 0
Batteries, Kramer and Glenn.
Washington ..... 2 9 4
Batteries, Leonard and Giuliani.
Detroit ..... 7 11 1
Batteries, Rowe and Bebbets.
New York ..... 2 7 2
Batteries, Donald, Chandler and Dickey, Jorgenson.
Openers.
Cleveland ..... 8 11 1
Batteries, Harder and Hanley.
Boston ..... 2 8 0
Batteries, Wilson, Dickman, Wade, Schleuter, and Sayles, Desautels.
Chicago ..... 4 0 0
Batteries, Dietrich, Marcum and Tresh.
Philadelphia ..... 13 14 1
Batteries, Ross and Hayes.
Nightcaps.
Chicago ..... 2 9 1
Batteries, Rigney, Brown and Tresh.
Philadelphia ..... 1 4 0
Batteries, Nelson and Brucker.
Cleveland ..... 4 7 2
Batteries, Hudlin, Eisensart and Hemsley.
Boston ..... 5 9 3
Batteries, Rich, Heyling and Peacock, Desautels.—United Press.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

R. H. E.
St. Louis ..... 1 4 0
Batteries, Kramer and Glenn.
Washington ..... 2 9 4
Batteries, Leonard and Giuliani.
Detroit ..... 7 11 1
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OUR GUIDE  
TO THE  
CINEMAS*"Hard To Get"* (King's, to-day)—

Hilarious tale of tit-for-tat that carries an auto-camp feud into the homes of the idle rich and ends with the taming of the shrew. With Olivia de Havilland, Dick Powell, Charles Winninger, Bonita Granville and Isabel Jeans.

*"Four Girls In White"* (Queen's, to-day)—Romantic drama set in hospital, with nurses and doctors for characters. There are extended clinical scenes and shots of a flood disaster. Florence Rice, Una Merkel, Ann Rutherford and Mary Howard are the four nurses, and Alan Marshall and Kent Taylor supply the male interest.*"Bon Hur!"* (Alhambra, to-day)—That old classic of "silent" days completed with sound.*"The Lady Objects"* (Majestic, to-day)—Combination of murder melodrama and singing by Lanny Ross, merging as successfully as could be expected. The plot tells of the poor man married to a brilliant lawyer, Gloria Stuart is the wife.*"The Duke of West Point"* (Orpheum, to-day)—Adventures of cadets at the Military Academy, recounting in particular the exploits of an athlete who incurred the censure of his fellow students but managed to win back their esteem. An ice hockey game provides the climax of the story. Louis Hayward, John Fontaine, Tom Brown and Richard Carlson have the chief roles.*"Water Polo**PLAYERS  
CENSORED*

A meeting of the Council of the Hongkong Water-Polo League was held yesterday evening at the Victoria Recreation Club under the Chairmanship of Mr. S. V. Gittins to discuss the incident at North Point last Monday, when a team from the Chinese Bathing Club and Victoria Recreation Club was abandoned two and a half minutes from time owing to a free-for-all between players.

The Council found that the following six players, Enrique Chan, Yam Man-hong and Fung Kwok-wa, of the Chinese Bathing Club, and A. J. Hussell, D. H. Taylor and R. Silvan Netto, of the V.R.C., were guilty of misconduct, and warned them that a repetition will result in their suspension by the Committee of the League.

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# SHE'S USEFUL ON THE BEACH

SHE'S pretty, but dumb; for she's a beach bag. Her face is made of rubberised canvas, so she's waterproof as all good beach bags should be, and will carry your wet bathing suit without dripping protests.

Opening wide, from the top of the head to the point of the cap, the bag closes with a slide fastener, and has a large handle on her head for easy carrying.

The hood she's wearing, that ties under her chin in a big bow, is made of patterned silk stitched over the canvas. You can have it in this flowered design or in gay stripes, in a choice of several colourings—blue, wine, or brown being the predominating colours.

Her white canvas face, cut out in profile, has scarlet painted lips, and a line of stitching for hair. But the poor girl hasn't any eyes . . .

Though the profile and hood give the bag an amusing shape, it is really quite roomy inside, and you'll find it useful for carrying your knitting and make-up things as well as your swim suit.

## Plan Your Summer Table

WHAT a responsibility is that of having an all-glass ensemble for a summer party without it being months, when appetites of the family necessary to have all cold food. Too much cold food is not as appetising as it sounds, and a perfect meal for a summer occasion should contain at least one hot dish of a light description with eggs and vegetables, or fish cooked with cheese or mushrooms.

Table schemes that are cool and inviting, that use the fresh colours of fruits and vegetables to contrast with the clear sparkle of glass; the graceful background of lace or linen, and pottery or china that has simple lines and unfussy patterning—these need careful planning.

One idea is to use all pottery and no silver or glass for your dining table. As for colour, plain cream or a pale green or yellow shade looks effective. It is now possible to obtain little cruet sets in pottery, and tumblers in coloured or cream pottery are to be bought very cheaply. Candleholders with coloured candles, pottery posy rings with a few flower heads in them—white flowers for coloured posy rings or vice versa—are adjuncts for this scheme.

If you are using white or cream pottery, an effective contrast is provided by table mats in pastel green or yellow lace that have a pleasant shimmer from the rayon used in the lace design. These look equally well on a table with a light natural oak surface or a mahogany table that is well polished.

**Individual Dishes**

Another notion for summer meals that are deliberately informal and "help-yourself" in character is the use of individual dishes as far as possible.

These are now to be bought in sizes for one person, and round the place laid for each member of the family can be arranged a separate fireproof dish with individual butter and cheese dishes, glass dishes for salad or cold sweets, and tankards for cold drinks that stand on a tiny individual sandwich tray. This makes it possible for people to attend a meal later without causing disturbance and without upsetting the attractive appearance of the table.

The charm and appeal of glass are too well known to need much further stressing, and most housewives realise that thanks to glass suitable for putting in the oven, it is possible

### ORANGE JELLY

This is an ideal sweet for an invalid. Have 1 gill orange juice, 1 gill cold water, 1 gill of orange juice of 1 lemon, 1½ oz loaf sugar, ½ oz powdered gelatine. Boil the orange, and pour the rind off as thinly as possible. Put this into a lined sauceman with the water, sugar, and gelatine. Allow to simmer slowly 10 minutes. Then strain into basin. Strain the orange and lemon juice into this and pour into a wetted mould.

When set, turn out and serve with a little whipped cream. For a change this jelly, when cool, but not set, can be whipped till stiff, poured into a glass dish, and decorated with small slices of orange.

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## Take Care of Your Carpets

A NEW carpet should be brushed very lightly, and cleaned with a vacuum cleaner only very occasionally. After several months wear, the pile of the carpet will be well trodden in; it will not then need such delicate treatment.

Spread a thick layer of newspapers on the floor before putting the carpet down. Even if using an under-layer of felt, put newspapers also. They will cover any unevenness in the floor, which might otherwise leave marks on the carpet.

Always roll a carpet when you take it up. Folding makes creases, and if the carpet is a striped one, will cause the stripes to stretch and come apart.

A carpet that is much trodden on should be turned round every few weeks, so that it does not become worn in just one or two places.

The pile of a stale carpet should always run downwards. If not, the pile will be brushed the wrong way when the carpet is cleaned.

Always buy a sufficient length of stair carpet to allow the position to be varied. Move the carpet six or eight inches so that the part that was on the tread is against the upright of the next stair, to equalise the wear on the carpet.

When putting the stair pads in place under the carpet, be sure that the edges of the stairs are well covered, as this part gets the most wear.

If a carpet is too large for a room and you do not wish to cut it to fit, here is an easy way of dealing with it. Make a diagonal cut at one corner, and bind the cut edges with carpet braid. Then you can turn two sides under, to make the carpet fit the room. When you again need the carpet in its full size, simply seam the two cut edges together.

Should you get a fall of soot or any other substance on a carpet, use the vacuum cleaner to take it off. Hold the nozzle of the cleaner just above the soot; do not allow it to touch the carpet. You will find this draws up the soot without rubbing any into the carpet.

A ammonia will revive and freshen the colours of a rug or carpet that has faded. Add a tablespoonful of ammonia to a pint of warm water, and wring out a cloth, fairly dry.

D. M. H.



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Wipe out greasy saucepans and frying pans with old tissue paper; there is nothing more objectionable than grease in the washing-up water.

Before serving soup, lay a piece of clean tissue paper over any grease that may be floating on the top, and the grease will be soaked up at once.

It is a good plan to stuff tissue paper into the spout or neck of crockery or silver which is being put away for the summer. This will prevent dust settling in parts difficult to clean.

White tissue paper should not be used for wrapping up linen that is being stored. Yellowish or blue tissue paper is best for this purpose.

Drawn paper under a carpet will prolong its life. It prevents the dust working up between the boards and making lines on under-felt and carpet; it also saves wear of the carpet if the floor boards are at all uneven.

Save all brown paper bags. They are good receptacles for dust. Insert the mouth of the vacuum cleaner bag in the paper bag before shaking out the contents, and no dust will blow about. This is a much healthier way of emptying into a sheet of newspaper.

The daily paper has a thousand uses and can save much fatigue. If used on the kitchen table when work is in progress it will save hours of scrubbing.

Refuse bins will keep cleaner if a thick layer of newspaper is placed in the bottom after each clearance.

A good shine can be obtained on the stove if it is polished with a ball of newspaper.

Fold up a newspaper and tie with string and you have an emergency coat-hanger.

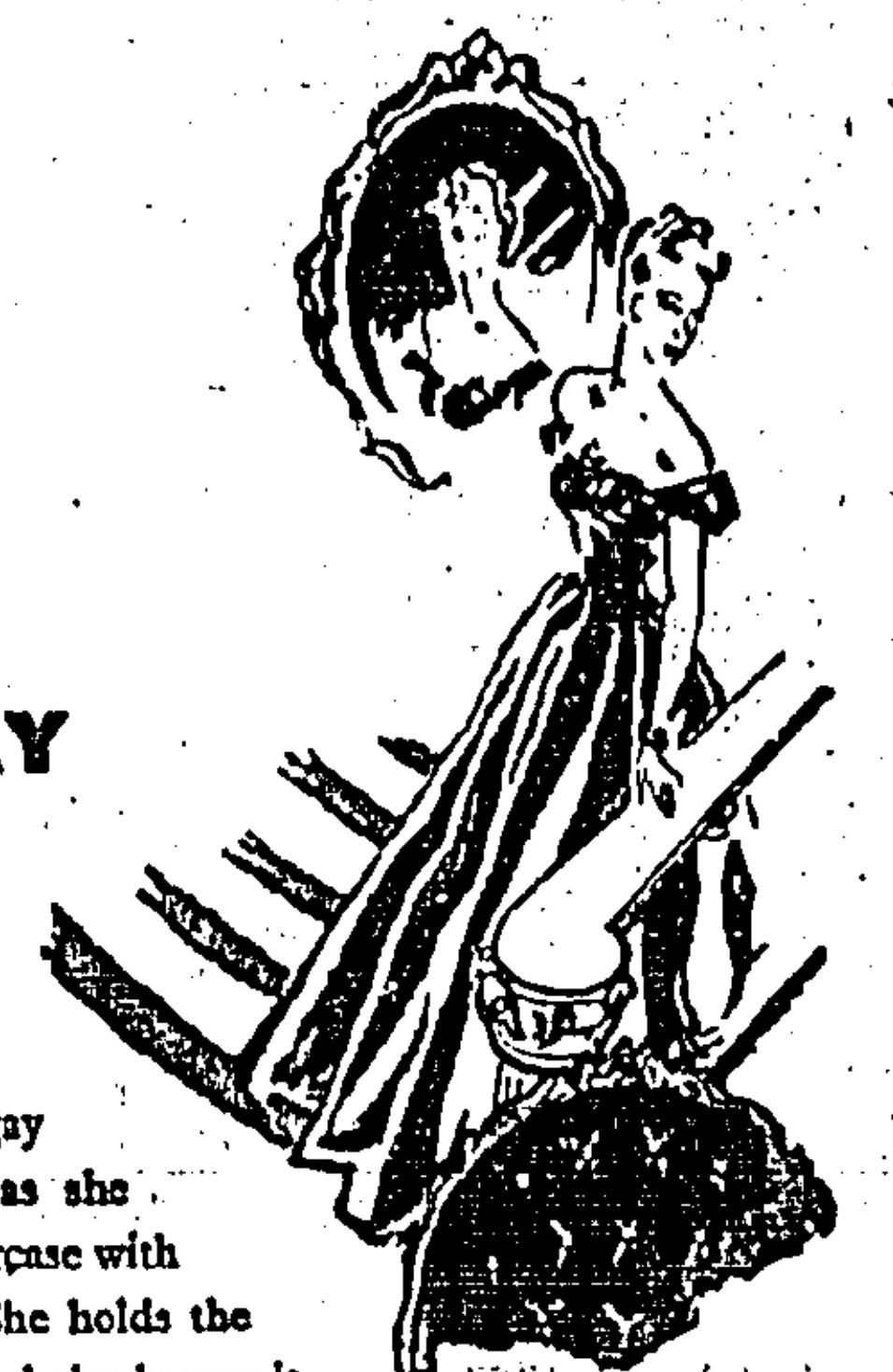
It caught unprotected in a shower, make a cape and skirt of sheets of newspaper; a cap, too, if one's hat will spoil.

Put a couple of newspapers under the ironing sheet to give a smooth surface.

Cover a thick pad of newspapers with felt or old carpet and use as a mat in the scullery and wash-kitchen. Many a headache and backache comes from cold feet on draughty floors.

G. C.

## ORDEAL BY STAIRWAY



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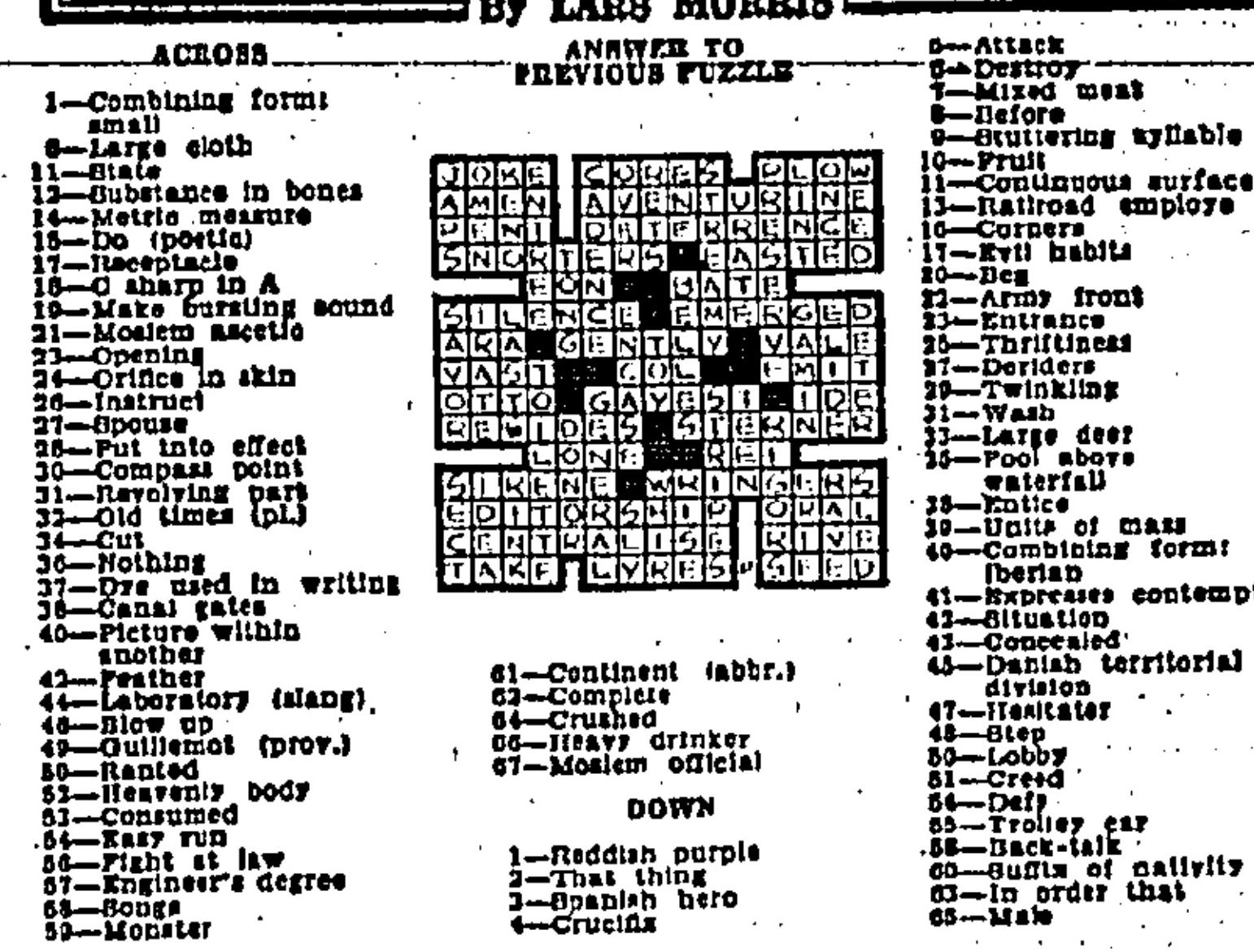
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## Kill Kidney Trouble Quick

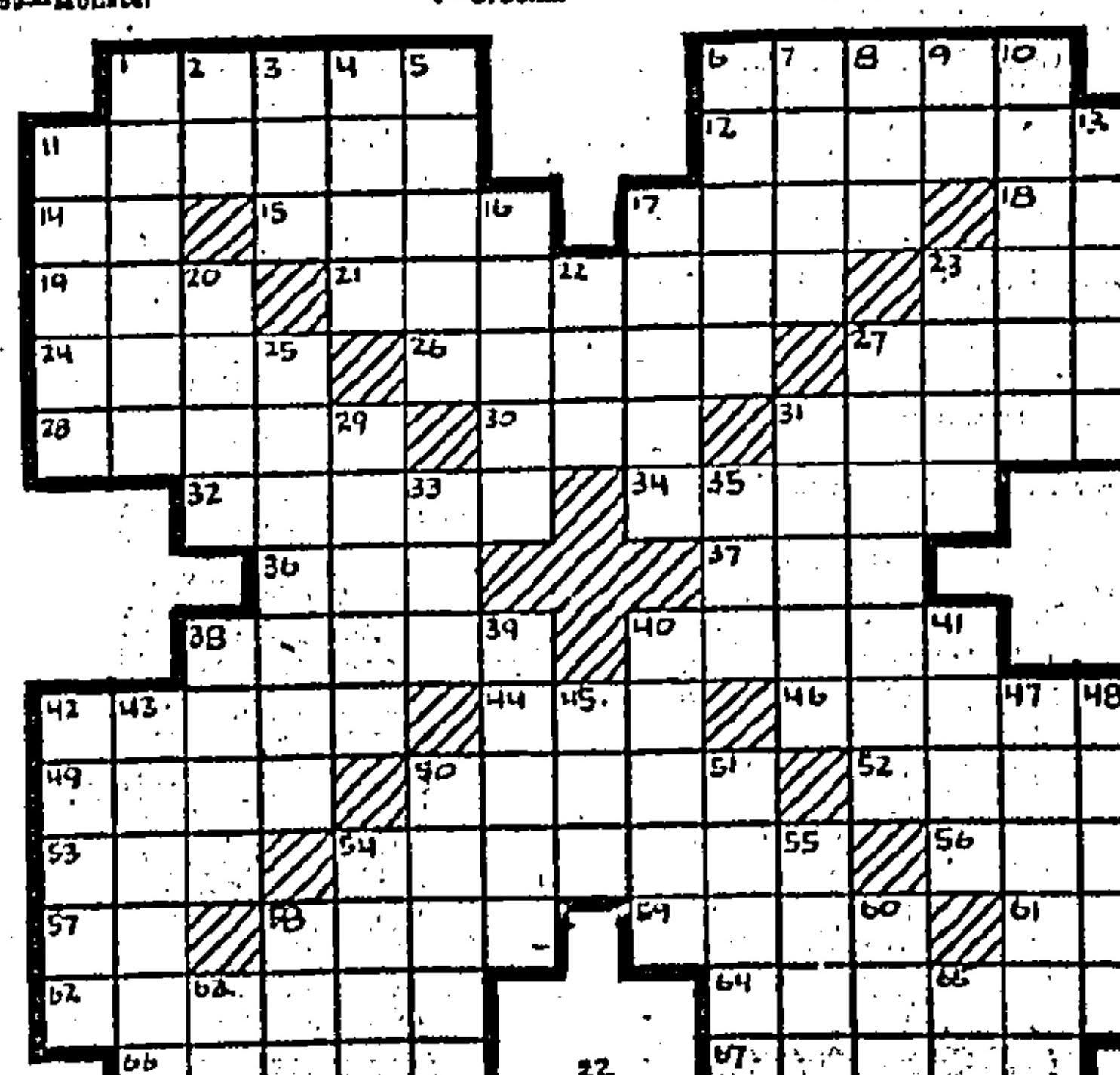
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For smaller children, unusual things seen during a quarter of an hour, such as a windmill or scarecrow, or the number of animals in the fields passed through, can be done.

Of course, the children will have their picture books and papers with them, and it is often a good idea to have these until towards the end of the journey, as something to look forward to when the children become tired.

D. M. H.

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CANTON	15,000	10th August	B'bay, M'selles & London
CARTHAGE	14,000	2nd Sept.	B'bay, M'selles & London, Bombay, M'selles & London
*SOMALI	7,000	9th Sept.	B'bay, M'selles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'bg, R'dam & A'werp.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	10th Sept.	Bomby, M'selles & London, M'selles & London
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## THE VALUE OF JAPAN'S WORD

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in North China, it was authoritatively stated here to-day that a preliminary agreement has been reached in Tokyo between the Japanese Foreign Minister and Sir Robert Cradock, on the understanding that the Japanese would maintain order in the occupied areas.

The continued demonstrations, however, prove that this is not the case, and as a result the British Government has been compelled to draw one of two alternatives. Inferences.

It must be presumed either that the Japanese authorities are not in a position to prevent these demonstrations, or that they are unwilling to do so.

If the last assumption is correct, the Japanese attitude would constitute a violation of the Anti-Craigie agreement.

Official quarters here, however, maintain silence concerning possible counter-measures by the British Government.

**Further Intimidation**

PEIPING, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—The sending of letters to Chinese employees of Britain has been followed up in some instances by direct intimidation by the so-called anti-British Picket Corps, which is generally believed to be Japanese-organized.

The bulk of the Chinese populace remains normally friendly or disinterested. The trouble is caused by a small minority, having the full support of Japanese press publicity.

The majority of the Chinese believe that the agitators have Japanese military support, therefore it is easily possible that the situation might develop seriously.

The British authorities are making representations to the Japanese Embassy on fresh instances of anti-British demonstrations, reminding the Japanese authorities of their responsibility in maintaining law and order in territory under their control.

It is learned from Thibet that the Japanese authorities at Tungkuo are somewhat restrained through the announcement of the Japanese officer commanding there that his forces will protect foreign lives and property, though he was unable to interfere with the parades and demonstrations.

**Shanghai Blockade**

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—Mr. A. C. Morley asked in the House of Commons to-day what had been the result of the discussions between the Shanghai Municipal Council and the local Japanese authorities concerning restoration of the Yangtzeopao and Hongkew districts of Shanghai to the control of the Council, and whether Mr. Chamberlain was yet prepared to approach the Japanese Government in the matter.

Mr. Butler replied that discussions between the Council and the Japanese authorities were still proceeding and he understood that a certain measure of agreement had been reached.

No action on the part of the Government appeared to be called for.

**Chinese Currency**

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—No discussions concerning Chinese currency have taken place between the Japanese and British in the Tokyo negotiations, stated Mr. R. A. Butler in the House of Commons to-day.

It is confirmed that the Chinese Ambassador remitted to the Foreign Secretary a memorandum relating to currency and other questions.

Informed quarters point out that the British Government is in close touch with Paris, and has received an assurance from the French Government that the latter would support any action which the British Government might deem necessary in the event of the Tokyo negotiations breaking down on the currency issue. It was also stated that the United States Government had been requested to inform the British Government of its attitude, should the Tokyo negotiations fail, but no reply has yet been received from Washington.

**Yangtse Restrictions**

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—No reply has yet been received by Sir Robert Cradock regarding the representations made on June 6 with reference to the Japanese naval and military restrictions on British trade

## Mayors To Form A New "Axis"

TOKYO, Aug. 3 (Domei).—It is reliably reported here to-day that the Mayors of Berlin and Rome have informally accepted the proposals of the Mayor of Tokyo for the formation of a League of the mayors of the metropolis of the Axis Powers.

The Mayor of Tokyo is shortly sending formal invitations to the Mayors of Berlin and Rome asking the latter to visit Tokyo in spring and attend the manoeuvres for the inauguration of the projected League.

Mayor Tanomori is planning to return the visits of the Berlin and Rome Mayors by visiting the German and Italian capitals by aeroplane.

## A.R.P. EXAMS

### Wardens and Instructors Certificates

The Air Raid Precautions Officer announces the following results of examinations for Air Raid Wardens' and Instructors' Certificates, on July 17, 18 and 19:

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Passed as Instructors.—S. J. Burt, Mrs. D. Lanchester, Cheong Wol-fung, Cheung King-pak, Bro. Alphonso, A. L. Potter Chow Coxik, K. C. Mak.

### LECTURES IN CHINESE

The Air Raid Precautions Officer announces that a course of A.R.P. lectures will be given in Chinese at King's College, Bonham Road, Hongkong on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7.30 p.m., commencing on August 8.

In the Yangtse delta, declared Mr. R. A. Butler in the House of Commons to-day,

He added that Sir Robert Cradock had been asked to continue to press the matter in view of the great urgency of the question.

### British Protest Rejected

PEIPING, Aug. 3 (Domei).—The puppet Mayor of Peiping sent a note yesterday respecting the latter's return to the British Consulate at Peiping on Tuesday, July 24 against the anti-British agitation in the city.

### Joint Attitude

LONDON, Aug. 3 (Reuters).—Consultations between the British, French and United States governments on the attitude to be adopted towards Japanese attacks on Chinese currency have now been concluded, states the Political Correspondent of the "Financial News".

No definite result from these consultations is expected in London, and none appears to have been gained, but international political observers here say they thought the consultations had been responsible for slightly firmer attitude shown by the British Government in the last day or two.

### Talks Hang Fire

TOKYO, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—Anglo-Japanese negotiations on Tsinan are evidently hanging fire. A meeting of the police sub-committee failed to take place, and the economic sub-committee also had a blank day.

A private meeting in the Tokyo Club between Sir Robert Cradock and Mr. Kato lasted for an hour and a half.

The purpose of the talk, says "Domei", is to prepare the ground for the next full session of the conference, which has not met since July 28.

### Anglican Bishop Warned To Leave

SHANGHAI, Aug. 3 (Reuters).—The Rev. T. O. Scott, Bishop of Shantung and two other members of the Church of England Mission at Tsinan have been warned to leave to-morrow.

The streets of Tsinan, capital of Shantung, have been plastered with posters denouncing Chiang Kai-shek and the Communists, but there have been no anti-British posters.

Reports from Chialuo in the Honan province state that the Japanese are trying to make the position of two Englishmen and an Englishwoman employed at the Fuchung mines untenable.

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## LEADERS PLEAD FOR PEACE ON WAR ANNIVERSARY

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protests in this connection have been unavailing.

### Axle Troop Movements

PARIS, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—The French press to-day comments at length on the Italian army manoeuvres in the Po Valley and also upon the forthcoming manoeuvres of the German army in the eastern part of the Reich.

The "Intransigent" declares that the Italian military manoeuvres must be considered as a demonstration intended to prove that Italy could repel an offensive by a French army.

According to a Rome report, France's fortification including the Maginot Line could be broken in the view of Signor Gayda, the well-known Italian commentator.

He says that people on the other side of the Alps are convinced that the French fortifications in that area and the Maginot Line form an impassable barrier, but this view is not shared by Germany and Italy, although these two countries, naturally, are aware of the usefulness of the fortifications.

### Stock Exchange Anxiety

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—European anxieties were responsible for a general downdraft in prices on the London Stock Exchange to-day, though not much selling pressure was visible.

Home rails were especially weak on the possibility of a strike following a wage dispute affecting the whole railway system.

Elsewhere Burma Corporations were steady on a dividend of five annas compared with four previously.

Among commodities, copper recorded a further small improvement largely owing to reports of the excellent consumption, with some revival in speculative interest.

Wall Street was very quiet.

### Emergency Conference

TOKYO, Aug. 3 (Domei).—The War Minister, Lieutenant-General Itagaki, at whose instance the Five-Minister Conference is to meet to-day to discuss the Government policy towards the latest developments in the European situation, on Wednesday afternoon summoned an emergency conference of Army leaders to determine the Army's attitude.

Premier Hirunuma, Foreign Minister Arita, War Minister Itagaki, Navy Minister Yonai, and Finance Minister Ishiwata, members of the so-called Inner Cabinet, are meeting to-day to discuss possible evolution of Japan's "fundamental policy" via-vis the European political situation.

### Anglo-Soviet Talks

MOSCOW, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—There are grounds for believing that some progress was made in this afternoon's meeting between the British and French representatives and M. Molotov, but there is no indication of an early signing of a pact.

### ANOTHER AIR RAID

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stubbornly behind their strongly-built defences.

Supported by two field pieces, 1,000 Japanese troops at Yangtze, about ten miles north of Chungking in central Hupeh, started an attack on the Chinese positions there yesterday. After engaging in three successive hand-to-hand combats with the Chinese, they were driven back. But soon they gathered again and launched a fresh attack, which was also repulsed.

More than 80 Japanese soldiers fell in the fighting and one was taken prisoner.

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## EFFECT OF JAPANESE BLOCKADE ON COLONY

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—Mr. Alan Graham enquired in the House of Commons to-day whether Mr. Malcolm MacDonald's attention had been drawn to the action of the Japanese authorities in cutting off food supplies to Hongkong and the small ports on the mainland.

Mr. MacDonald replied that the food situation in Hongkong was being carefully watched by the Colonial Government. So far it had not been necessary for any special steps to be taken to secure supplies.

## The Value Of Japan's Word

LONDON, Aug. 2 (UP).—An official British spokesman, commenting on the intensified anti-British campaign in China, to-day declared that Japan has either violated the recent formula agreed upon as the basis for the Tokyo negotiations, or she has undertaken a responsibility under that formula which she appears unable to fulfil.

### JAPAN REMINDED

It is understood that in his most recent representations to Japan, the British Ambassador to Tokyo reminded the Japanese that Japan had assumed responsibility for the maintenance of Public order in areas under their control.

The British Prime Minister to-day denied that Britain has agreed to surrender the four Chinese in the Tientsin concession.

"No decision has been arrived at," he declared.

Also, he said, he had received no official information regarding the stripping of two British women.

### Opposition Strengthened

Meanwhile, it is believed that British opposition to Japan's currency demands has been strengthened after consultations with France and the United States.

It is reported that France has pledged her full support to a refusal to surrender the silver held in foreign banks in the Tientsin concessions, while it is also believed that the United States has indicated strong opposition to foreign support for Russia this week-end by ship.

Contrary to earlier reports that the British mission will proceed for Paris on Thursday, it has been learned from authoritative sources that they now intend to leave on Saturday.

The journey is expected to require four days, during which time the chiefs of both groups, with their experts assistants, will have a full opportunity for preparing their proposals for discussion with the leaders of the Soviet forces.

### Canadian Support

Britain is further encouraged by Canada's attitude towards denunciation of the treaty, despite the Dominion's heavy exports to Japan.

On the other hand, the enormous stake of Australian wool and Indian cotton exports to Japan accounts for the absence of enthusiasm from Australia and India regarding the denunciation.

Meanwhile, authentic information has revealed the growing discouragement of the Japanese militarists in the face of the uncertainty regarding a possible embargo of United States and British trade.

### London Inferences

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—Regarding anti-British demonstrations PLEASE Turn To Page 11.

LONDON, Aug. 2 (British Wires)—It was stated in the House of Commons to-day that no negotiations are in progress with the government of Guatemala for the sale of any part of British Honduras.

## \$1,287 HAUL FROM U.S. CONSULATE IN H'KONG

RIFLING desk at the counter in the American consulate on Wednesday night, a thief, or thieves, made a haul of \$1,287.20, according to a police report issued to-day.

The money was not the property of the Consulate, but belonged to a member of the staff, whose identity is not disclosed. It is particularly striking on the case, but it has not yet been finally established whether a duplicate key was used, or whether the desk was forced open.

The money, apparently, was left in

the desk by pure mistake, and there is evidence to suggest that the thief had prior knowledge of its whereabouts.

Mr. F. C. Forges, Jr., has reported the affair to the police on behalf of the Consulate. When asked by the "Telegraph" to-day whether it was his money, he replied in the negative.

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Army Operations To Continue Throughout August

## GERMANY MASSES TROOPS ON FRONTIERS FOR MANOEUVRES

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, Aug. 2 (UP).—Despatches from the frontier state that German troops which have been carrying out manoeuvres in the Eifel Mountains and forests have now occupied the entire first and second lines of fortifications facing France.

The troops are equipped at full war strength. Large scale manoeuvres have also been started between a Blue State in the north-west and a Red State in the East, with an imaginary State in between whose neutrality must be respected.

These manoeuvres constitute the beginning of large-scale army and air force games to be held throughout Germany during the whole month of August.

### Italian Manoeuvres

Milan, Aug. 2, (UP).—Spanish, German and Hungarian Military Missions are arriving to witness the manoeuvres in the Po Valley, in which the "enemy forces" last Tuesday penetrated the Susa Valley through which Napoleon entered Italy.

## NO TROOPS DEPARTING

### Japanese Spokesman Denies "Reuter" Report

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

TOKYO, Aug. 3 (Domestic).—The spokesmen of the Army and Navy categorically denied foreign Press reports from Chungking that Japanese troops were withdrawing from Central China.

The Japanese expeditionary forces in China will not budge an inch from their present positions but, on the contrary will keep up their offensive until the anti-Japanese Kuomintang Government and its armed forces are crushed, the spokesman declared.

A Home Office official circular announced to-day that it would shortly issue samples of babies' anti-gas protection helmets "in attractive colours."

Mothers will be instructed to familiarise the children with these playthings.

The gas masks will be divided into three classes. Infants under two years of age will be furnished with the protective helmet, consisting of a padded hood.

### Sofia Calls Up Men

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

SOFIA, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—Two classes of reservists are being called up to undergo three weeks of training, commencing to-morrow morning, August 15, with extensive manoeuvres.

The Government has ordered that agricultural work of men on military service shall be carried out by villagers through the compulsory labour service.

### SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BY GEORGE KIDD  
"United Press" Staff Correspondent

DANZIG, Aug. 3, (UP).—A survey of the information I have obtained during the past week shows that Danzig has about 14,000 troops of various types on duty. These include the regular police.

Reports that there are 40,000 armed men in the Free City under training are probably incorrect.

My estimate is based on the following figures:

Regular Police	approximately 1,000
Police Recruits	approximately 4,000
Nazi Elite Storm Troops	1,000
Brown Shirts	approximately 8,000

In addition, there are several Storm Troopers and Brown Shirts available for voluntary duty in their spare time. They are unarmed.

Also present are a number of German legionaries who served in the Spanish Civil War and who were

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Further Late News

## LATEST

### Typhoon Threat

THE NO. 1 TYPHOON SIGNAL WAS HOISTED AT TWENTY MINUTES PAST THREE THIS AFTERNOON.

## WANG TO FORM NEW REGIME

SHANGHAI, Aug. 3 (Domestic).—Wang Ching-wei has announced his intention of forming a new Central regime for China.

The announcement was made this morning in the "Chung Hwa Jih Pao".

"Mr. Wang Ching-wei is offering his life for national salvation, in defiance of all possible hazards," the newspaper states.

## ALLEGED GERMAN OFFER TO PARTITION SLOVAKS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

PARIS, Aug. 2, (UP).—The newspaper "L'Ordre" reports that Germany has offered to transfer Slovakia to Hungary in exchange for the free passage of German troops through Slovakia and the establishment of various strategic points in Hungary.

The newspaper states that this is part of a pre-conceived plan to encircle Poland, in order to crush her before the Western Powers would be able to come to her aid.

It alleges that 400,000 German troops are already concentrated on the Moravian frontiers for eventual attack against Poland.

## American Woman Reported Interned

PARIS, July 31 (AP).—The Paris United States embassy to-day asked the American embassy in Berlin to investigate reports that Mrs. Franz Lem, an American citizen, had been interned in a Nazi concentration camp at Dachau.

It was said that Lem, a German, had recited how he escaped from the camp where he asserted his wife had been interned since early May on charges of carrying anti-Nazi propaganda.

Chinese in Peking are beginning to leave British employment because of pressure from the anti-British factions.

(SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH")

AMERICA AND JAPAN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2, (UP).

At a press conference to-day, Mr. Sumner Welles, Assistant Secretary of State, revealed that a United States protest had been presented to Japan to-day on specific instructions from the State Department.

Quoted as to an unofficial news-

paper report that Tokyu was planning

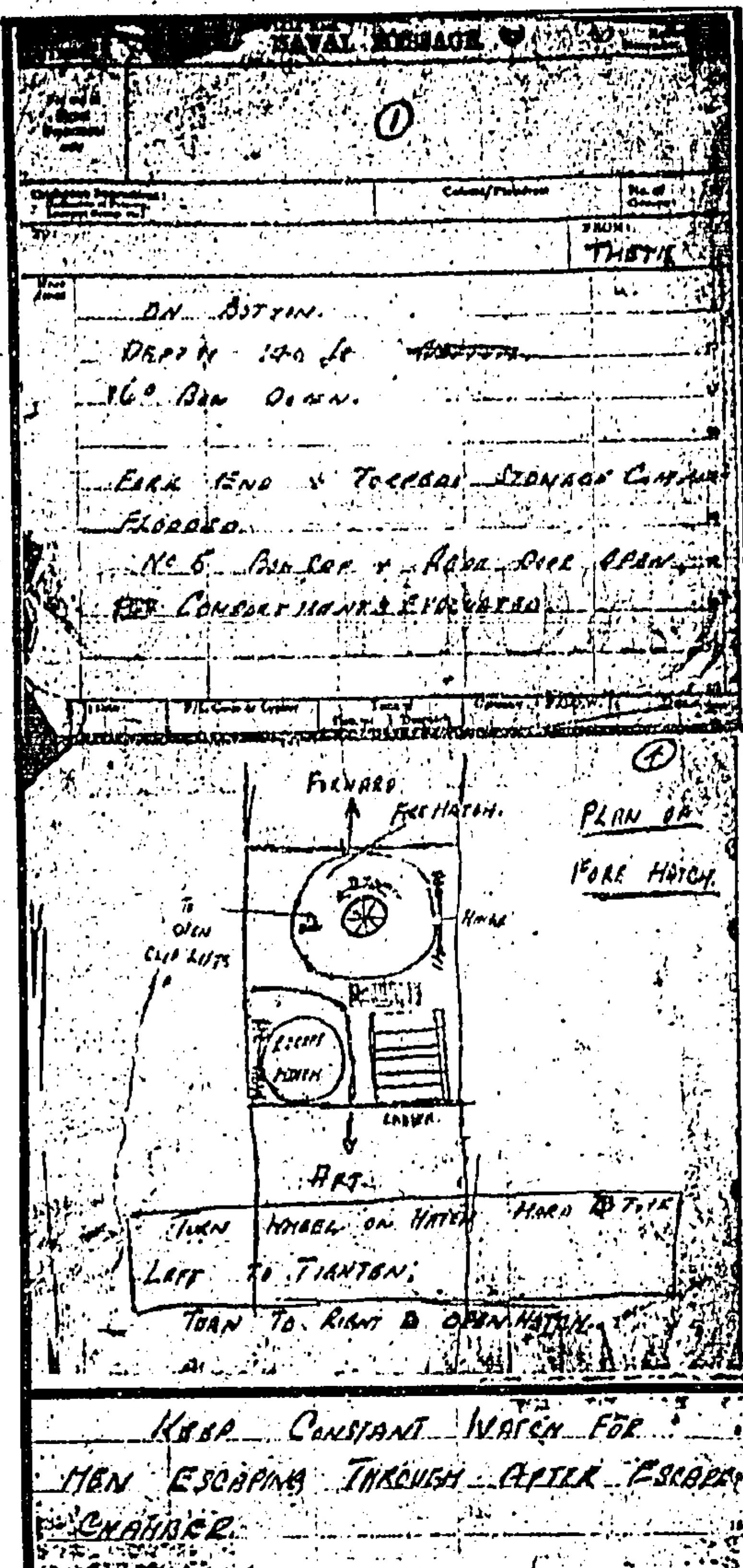
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## Twins Follow Twins

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## "We Want Peace But Are Ready For War" GERMANY'S LEADERS PLEAD FOR PEACE

BERLIN, Aug. 2 (UP).—Germany's Army, Navy and Air Force leaders to-day pleaded for peace.

Coupled with the gesture, however, were fiery statements regarding the preparedness of the Reich's armed forces and the use to which they would be employed if war again came to Europe.

### Pledge To Hitler

The occasion—the twenty-fifth anniversary of Germany's entry into the Great War—was utilised to pledge new support for Herr Hitler.

The statements were issued in the form of proclamations to the three Services—to the Army by General Brauchitsch, to the Navy by Admiral Raeder and to the Air Force by Air Marshal Goering.

General Brauchitsch's proclamation to the Army denounced the "attempts to encircle the Reich."

"We want peace," he declared. "But if another conflict should be forced upon us, our Army will fight with the inner determination, readiness and courage in defending Germany's vital rights as they did in 1914."

### Superiority!

"Once again, too, our troops will prove the superiority of German soldiers."

Admiral Raeder, after citing the achievements of the German Navy in the Great War, said:

"The Great tasks have been given to the newly-strengthened German Fleet,

"If duty calls, we will battle for the power and greatness of the Reich, true to our oath, and remembering the heroic conflicts and deaths of our fathers and brothers."

### Goering's Bombast

Air Marshal Goering issued the longest of the three proclamations.

He recalled the feats of the German Air Force during the Great War, and its reconstruction since Germany tore up the Treaty of Versailles.

"In the last few years," he declared, "I have done my best to make our Air Force the greatest and mightiest in the world."

"Its strength and preparedness has, in great part, made possible the creation of our Greater German Reich."

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the ideals of our Fuehrer and Commander-in-Chief, the German Air Force stands to-day ready to carry through with lightning speed and under force of arms every and any order of the Fuehrer."

### SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH")

### Il Duce Sees Manoeuvres

MILAN, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—Piloting his own plane, Signor Mussolini observed the beginning of the Italian army manoeuvres from the air.

He and King Victor Emmanuel II conferred in the camp headquarters near Novara.

Afterwards Il Duce flew back to Rimini, while King Victor embarked for an inspection of the line.

### Watch Kept On Events In Danzig

WARSAW, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—The Polish authorities are closely watching what appears to be the development of a movement in Danzig to try economic methods of bringing about the incorporation of the Free City and the Reich.

The clamour raised in Danzig against Poland's action in withdrawing customs inspectors from the margarine factory, and restricting the importation of Danzig herring is regarded as significant.

Polish circles are quick to point out that any attempt to open a customs frontier with East Prussia, about which threats have been made in some Danzig meetings, would constitute a unilateral change in the status of the Free City which Poland could not tolerate.

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## POLISH TRADE TREATY SIGNED IN LONDON

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—The Anglo-Polish export credit guaranteed agreement was signed to-day by the Polish Ambassador and Mr. R. S. Hudson, Secretary for Overseas Trade.

The agreement provides for export credit of £8,103,000, and the system by which the credits will be extended will be the same as that adopted with Rumania.

The Polish Government will issue State bonds, capital and interest service on which will be guaranteed by the British Government. The money will thus be made available for the exclusive purchase of British goods.

### Official Communiqué

WARSAW, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—An official Polish communiqué on the conclusion of the Anglo-Polish loan negotiations was issued to-night.

It says that the Polish Government will receive commercial credit of £8,000,000 for raw materials and establishments for the production of war materials, and for the purchase of manufactured war material.

Interest is to be paid at five percent, and repayment is to be made within 18 years.

### Yugo-Slavia Credits

LONDON, Aug. 2 (U.P.).—Prince Paul and Princess Olga left for Yugoslavia at 2 p.m. to-day, after a three weeks' visit during which, it is reported, the Prince had discussions regarding the Anglo-Yugoslav relations, including credits for Yugoslavia.

Higher wages are being demanded.

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The press declares that reprisals are not called for, since Poland's action is taken in consequence of Danzig's treatment of Polish customs officials.

It is emphasised that repeated protests in this connection have been unavailing.

### Axis Troop Movements

PARIS, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—The French press to-day comments at length on the Italian army manoeuvres in the Po Valley and also upon the forthcoming manoeuvres of the German army in the eastern part of the Reich.

The "Intransigeant" declares that the Italian military manoeuvres must be considered as a demonstration intended to prove that Italy could repel an offensive by a French army. According to a Rome report, France's fortification including the Maginot Line could be broken in the view of Signor Guido, the well-known Italian commentator.

He says that people on the other side of the Alps are convinced that the French fortifications in that area and the Maginot Line form an impassable barrier, but this view is not shared by Germany and Italy, although these two countries, naturally, are aware of the usefulness of the fortifications.

### Stock Exchange Anxiety

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—European anxieties were responsible for a general downturn in prices on the London Stock Exchange to-day, though not much selling pressure was visible.

Home rails were especially weak on the possibility of a strike following a wage dispute affecting the whole railway system.

Elsewhere Burma Corporations were steady on a dividend of five annas compared with four previously.

Among commodities copper recorded a further small improvement largely owing to reports of the excellent consumption, with some revival in speculative interest.

Wall Street was very quiet.

### Emergency Conference

TOKYO, Aug. 3 (Domei).—The War Minister, Lieut-General Itagaki, at whose instance the Five-Minister Conference is to meet to-day to discuss the Government policy towards the latest developments in the European situation, on Wednesday afternoon summoned an emergency conference of Army leaders to determine the Army's attitude.

Premier Hirayama, Foreign Minister Arita, War Minister Itagaki, Navy Minister Yonai, and Finance Minister Ishiwata, members of the cabinet and Cabinet ministers met to-day to discuss possible evolution of Japan's "fundamental policy" vis-a-vis the European political situation.

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## Noted Rugger Player Dies

SHANGHAI, July 29. The death was reported in Shanghai yesterday of Dr. Carel, surgeon on board the French gunboat Doudard de Lagree, who succumbed to illness at Hankow on July 10.

Only 20 years of age at the time of his death, Dr. Carel was well-known in Shanghai for his prowess in the rugger field, captaining the French Forces XV last winter. In his native country, Dr. Carel was also prominent in rugger circles, representing France in several international matches.

He left Shanghai for his station at Hankow last April, and the malady which caused his death has so far not been ascertained.

Police Close Port To Counter Strike

NAIROBI, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—The Mombasa port has been closed by the police following a threat by strikers to intimidate the men at work there.

The strike began a week ago among an oil company's employees, and it now involves 60,000 workmen, representing every class of African labour.

Higher wages are being demanded.

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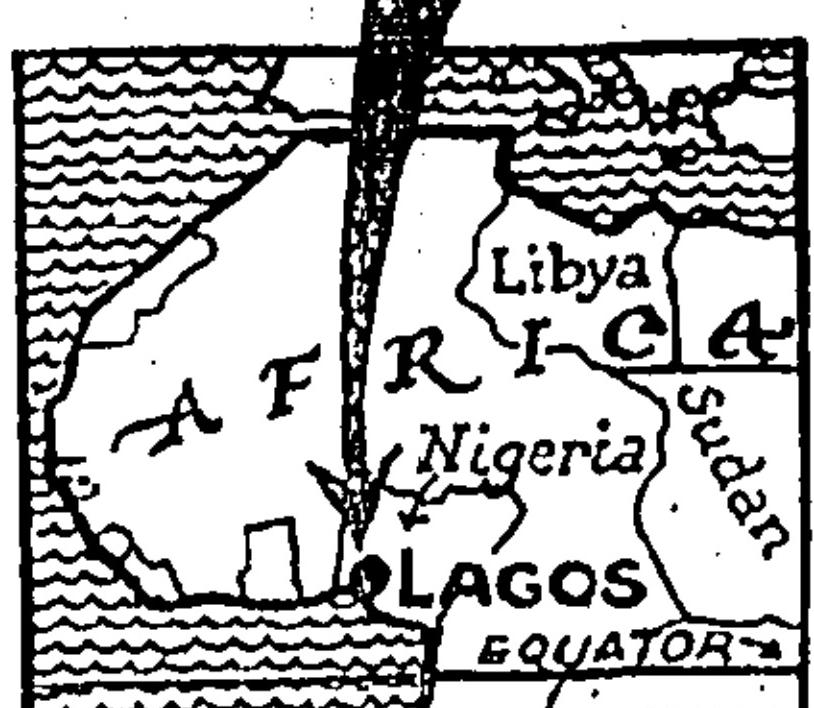
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## NEWS OUTPOST



## Lagos Wins Baby Shield Third Time

THE Imperial Baby Week Challenge Shield, awarded each year for the best baby week campaign held throughout the Empire—excluding the United Kingdom—has been awarded to Lagos, Nigeria.

This is the third time that Lagos has won the shield, which was first awarded in 1926.

Lagos (population: 137,000) is chief port and seat of the Central Government of Nigeria, which comprises a number of areas formerly under separate administrations.

The Eastern Telegraph Company and the Post Office have wireless stations there, and radio direction-finders for aircraft are being installed.

Nigeria's northern and southern provinces are both under a Chief Commissioner, subject to the control of the Governor, Sir Bernard Henry Bourdillon.

Products include palm oil, kernels, cotton lint, cocoa, mahogany, tin ore, gold ore.

## Britain Agrees To Modification of Treaty

## RUSSIA MAY BUILD 45,000 TON BATTLESHIP FLEET

## BIG TEA FIRM TO LIQUIDATE £522,000 Deficiency Reported

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuters).—At a shareholders' meeting today, Messrs. Bunting and Company, the Empire's biggest tea brokers, decided to go into voluntary winding-up.

At a subsequent statutory meeting, a Creditors' Committee of Inspectors, consisting of the five principal creditors, was appointed.

An approximate statement of affairs revealed that as against liabilities of £583,563, there appears to be a deficiency of £522,203. Value has been taken into the statement for the company's interest in subsidiary companies or for impending claims against the English and Scottish Joint Co-operative Wholesale Society, Ltd.

It is intended to pursue this claim vigorously.

"Reuter" was informed that heavy stocks of tea held were valued for this purpose as at July 6, since when the values have appreciated.

Quarantine restrictions imposed by the Government of the Federated Malay States against arrivals from Hongkong on account of smallpox have been removed.

## As They See It Abroad



—News-Chronicle.

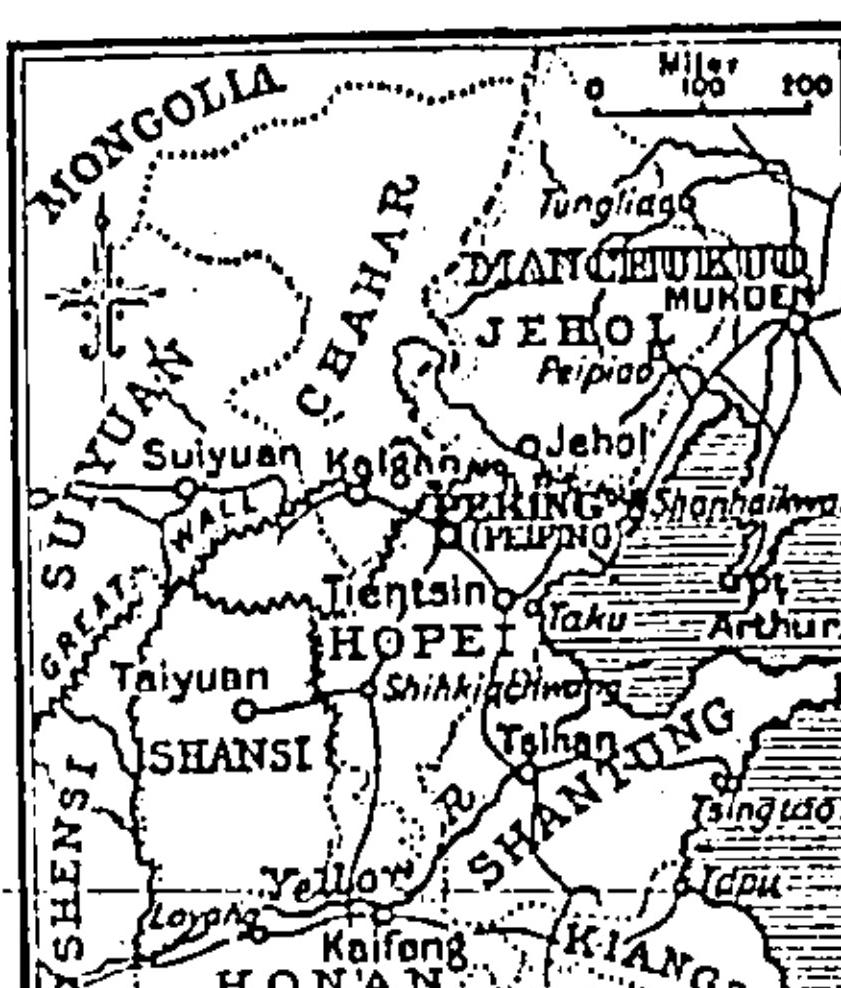
## Flood Disaster In North China Feared

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—Fifty thousand

people from 150 villages between Peiping and Tientsin are reported to have been rendered homeless by floods.

Incessant rains have caused the collapse of numerous dykes on the Grand Canal, the flood waves demolishing thousands of peasant houses.

The extent of the casualties is not yet known.



Owing to the widespread destruction of crops, market prices in North China are soaring, and farm produce is selling at a premium.

The Provincial Government, as well as other institutions have subscribed nearly \$1,000,000 for the relief of the destitute peasants, thousands of whom have assembled outside of the Peiping gates, awaiting admittance.

## MINISTER FOR FOOD DEFENCE

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—The appointment of a Minister for Food Defence is foreshadowed by the introduction in the House of Commons to-day of a Food Defence Bill.

The new Ministry is destined to take over part of the duties now incumbent on the Board of Trade.

Political circles believe that the first holder of the new office will be Mr. W. S. Morrison, at present Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, who acts in the House of Commons as spokesman for Lord Chatfield, Minister for the Co-ordination of Defence.

## CLIPPER DELAYED

DUE to adverse weather conditions the California Clipper did not leave Kai Tak Airport as scheduled this morning.

Departure of the Boeing has been delayed until 8.30 a.m. to-morrow.

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SPECIAL TO THE TELEGRAPH  
LONDON, Aug. 3 (UP).—It is officially announced that Great Britain and Soviet Russia have modified the Anglo-Russian Naval Agreement, in order to permit the two Powers to build 45,000-ton battleships.

In the Anglo-Russian Naval Agreement, which was signed in 1937 and which is identical with the Anglo-German Agreement recently abrogated by Herr Hitler, capital ships were limited to displacement of 35,000 tons and their guns to 16-in calibre.

Aircraft carriers were limited to 23,000 tons and 6-in. guns, and submarines were limited to 2,000 tons and 5-in. guns.

There is no indication at present whether Russia intends to take advantage of the increased permissible tonnage.

Soviet Russia at present had only three capital ships, all of which were launched before the Great War.

They are the Pariskaya-Kommuna, (formerly the Sebastopol), the Marat and the Oktiabrskaya-Revolutia, all of 23,000-tons and carrying 12-in. guns.

Three new capital ships, of 35,000-tons and armed with nine 16-in. guns, are projected for the 1939 programme.

## CLEMENTERS

To the Editor,  
Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir.—One of your contemporaries recently published a letter written by the Hon. Mr. T. A. Pearce upon the subject of the Prime Minister's recent denunciation of "Sensational, exaggerated or misleading captions which are calculated to give rise to unnecessary anxiety."

The subject is one that is discussed daily in most places where people in Hongkong gather.

Unfortunately, the public is inarticulate for all practical purposes unless the columns of the Press are open to them. Doubt has been expressed as to whether, upon a subject such as the above, access to this forum would be allowed.

The Freedom of the Press has been one of our cherished institutions, but—if the "above-doubt" is in any way justified it must be assumed that the Freedom of the Press is merely freedom for the Editor.

I invite you to publish this letter and ask the public to express themselves on the subject.

A. W. HUGHES.

(The Hon. Mr. Pearce's letter did not appear to be intended for publication. We cannot concede to Mr. Pearce or to Mr. Hughes the role of Protector of Public Morale. We are always prepared to publish letters criticising ourselves; but criticism must specify alleged offences and not assume the right of censorship or address itself in general terms to all newspapers.—Ed.)

## LABOUR WINS GOVT. SEAT

LONDON, Aug. 2 (U.P.).—The Government has sustained another reverse at the polls.

The Welsh County of Brecon and Radnor, has been lost to the Government as a result of to-day's by-election, necessitated by the elevation of the Hon. Ivor Guest to the Peersage.

The successful Labour candidate was Mr. W. Jackson, who polled 20,070 votes. The unsuccessful Government candidate was Mr. Halning Phillips.

Results of the elections were as follows:

Mr. W. F. Jackson ..... 20,070

Mr. H. Phillips ..... 18,043

Labour majority ..... 2,030

1935 ELECTIONS

Hon. Ivor Guest (Nat.) ..... 22,070

Dr. L. Guest (Lab.) ..... 10,910

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The seat was last held by Labour in 1931.

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"HYGEX" Wire Hair Brushes ..... \$1.00

Gents' Military Brushes ..... \$1.00  
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Pure White Bristle clothes brushes ..... \$1.95

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**Deadlock In Tokyo**

(Continued from Page 1)

to recall the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Welles said there had been no such indication in Washington.

Referring to reports that American diplomats in China were compiling a list of incidents involving Americans in China, Mr. Welles said he assumed that United States officials in China might stand on instructions to compile records of various cases, but he had not been informed of the number of incidents.

**Americans Involved**

Asked to comment on reports that the anti-British agitation in China was spreading to Americans, Mr. Welles replied that the United States was giving close attention to every incident involving violation of the rights of all third power nationals. The United States, he added, was traditionally interested in its own nationals only, was continuing its policy of independent action.

**"Another Warning"**

LONDON, Aug. 3 (Reuter).—"Another warning" is the heading to-day of the "Daily Mail" leader, which says:

"Britain and the United States are uniting in closer opposition to the impudent tactics of the Japanese in China. These tactics must cease if the Tokyo talks are to be continued with any hope of success."

"Strong words impress the Japanese statesmen, but more may be needed to convince their military masters in China."

"It may be necessary to remind them that we, as well as the United States, have a powerful economic weapon in our hands."

"In the first three months of 1939 Britain bought nearly £300,000 worth to Japan."

"It is possible to correct this balance to the great disadvantage of Japan."

**China's Case**

LONDON, Aug. 3 (Reuter).—After referring to the British capital stake in China and British trade between China and Hongkong, the "Financial News" leader says that the case for support of Chinese currency is overwhelming.

The task is rather to decide the most useful method whereby support can be given. The solution is not self-evident, but certain broad lines of policy stand out clearly.

The Government can minimize pressure on Chinese exchange by granting generous export credits, and should dismiss out of hand any Japanese demands that we should hand over the silver in Tientsin, or to assist Japan in ousting the National dollar.

For us to aid Japan in establishing "puppet" currencies would be little short of suicidal.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**HONG KONG FOOTBALL CLUB.**  
NOTICE

The 52nd Annual General Meeting of Members will be held in the Clubhouse on FRIDAY, 17th AUGUST, 1939, at 6 p.m.

By order of the Committee.

E. L. STRANGE,  
Hon. Secretary.

**OFFICIAL NOTICE**  
PROPOSAL TO CHANGE OF A SHIP'S NAME

I. A. H. Carroll of Alexandra Building, hereby give notice under Section 47 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, that the proposed change of name in respect of the ship "John I" of Hong Kong (Official Number 159,509—Gross tonnage 11,69 tons and Register tonnage 59,59 tons) owned by the China Coast Steamship Company Limited, Alexandra Building, Hong Kong, has been authorised by the Board of Trade and that the new name "Gold Leaf" will be registered at the Port of Hong Kong.

Any objection to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hong Kong within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Hongkong, the 2nd day of August, 1939.

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The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from TUESDAY, 8th AUGUST to THURSDAY, 17th AUGUST, 1939, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

C. M. MANNERS,  
Secretary and Manager,  
Hongkong, 27th July, 1939.

The Safety Industrial Co., Ltd., Ngau Chi Wan, has decided to close the establishment because negotiations for a settlement of the strike which broke out on Saturday have failed.

The factory is under contract to the Chinese Government for the manufacture of gas masks. It is reported to be able to produce about 1,000 masks daily.

**G. R.**

**PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS**  
of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 8th day of August, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Stanley, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 76 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

**PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.**

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Content in sq. feet	Annual Rent	Upset Price
1	Stanley Island Lot No. 8.	Stanley	As per sale plan.	About 6,000	\$8	\$1,500

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**PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.**

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Content in sq. feet	Annual Rent	Upset Price
2	New Kowloon Island Lot No. 2653	Adjoining New Kowloon Island, Lieu N. S. K. S., Castle Peak Road, Cheung Sha Wan.	As per sale plan.	About 4,500	\$8	\$1,500

**Warrant Issued For Arrest of Sean Russell**

# BRITAIN OUTLAWS REPUBLICAN CHIEF

LONDON, Aug. 2 (T-Ocean).—Sean Russell, chief of the general staff of the I.R.A., has been outlawed under the new I.R.A. bill.

The measures enable the British authorities to arrest Russell immediately if he is in English territory and to deport him.

The decree was signed, together with the orders for deportation of 12 more alleged I.R.A. sympathisers.

Rumours of Sean Russell's departure from the United States to Ireland or England have not yet been confirmed.

**Another Twelve Deportations**

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—Sir Samuel Hoare to-day signed a further 12 deportation orders against I.R.A. suspects.

He also signed an order prohibiting the landing in England of I.R.A. suspects.

Three I.R.A. deportees were taken aboard the Dublin mail boat at Holyhead to-day. They declared they would be back in Manchester next week, and added that all the I.R.A. funds were obtained from sympathisers in America.

**GARDEN ROAD INCIDENT**

MARINERS are notified that the Japanese have laid mines and other obstacles in the following places:

(1) Namkwan Harbour, Lat. 27 deg. 10 mins. N; Long. 120 degs. 25 mins. E. Off the entrance to Namkwan Harbour, extending as far as Ping Fong Island.

(2) Santa Inlet, Lat. 26 degs. 30 mins. N; 119 degs. 50 mins. E. In the vicinity on a line running from Chown Point to South Point at the entrance to Loyuan Bay, also including Loyuan Bay and inside Santa Inlet.

(3) Hungtung Sound, Lat. 25 degs. 20 mins. N; Long. 119 degs. 25 mins. E. In the vicinity of a line running across part of the Singhua Channel down to and across the south part of Lamyat Channel.

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#### SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 2 (UP).—Britain's relentless drive for security was again emphasised in Parliament to-night, when Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Financial Secretary to the Admiralty, revealed that another 180 vessels had been ordered for the Royal Navy.

Most of these vessels will be employed on anti-submarine duties.

A similar statement was made in the House of Lords by Lord Stanhope, First Lord of the Admiralty.

The new ship Lord Stanhope said, would be equipped with a new anti-submarine device which would be unmatched by either nation.

We have had an opportunity of seeing the new device and, like the naval authorities, feel that, under ordinary conditions, we can hunt out a submarine and make certain of finding it."

"I believe this is also the view of certain other Powers, which have not got this apparatus or anything like it.

#### Can Deal With Problem

"It will be recalled that when we announced our intention of sinking any submarine in a specified area in the Mediterranean during the Spanish Civil War, the attacks on third Power merchantmen promptly ceased."

"I think that this was recognition that the British Navy could deal with the question of submarines."

Lord Stanhope's statement arose during a debate in the House of Lords on a motion for the abolition of submarines.

#### Additions To Fleet

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—It has been decided to make a considerable addition to the 1939 programme of new naval construction, stated Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare in the House of Commons to-day.

If the independence of Belgium went, the independence of Holland went also, strong to-day as in 1870.

When mobilisation began he telegraphed to France and Germany threatening neutrality. The German Foreign Minister replied that she would respect neutrality. The German Foreign Minister replied that she would be unable to answer because to do so would disclose his plans. Then Britain was consulted as to whether the restoration of Belgium's integrity would satisfy us.

He replied that he could not hazard a guess, but he mobilised the Fleet.

Lord Stanhope emphasised that the additions included 107 trawlers for mine-sweeping and anti-submarine duties, of which 20 would be specially built for the purpose, and the rest would be purchased and converted.

It was also proposed to construct 50 vessels of the whale-catcher type, some for service control vessels, and some for post-submarine duties.

There would be 10 mine-sweepers, six boom defence vessels, and one cable ship. The total number of vessels involved in the foregoing being 180.

A floating dock to accommodate a small craft up to 5,000 tons had also been purchased. Further additions were contemplated, but Mr. Shakespeare said he was unable to give details at the moment.

#### Debate On Submarines

#### (SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH")

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—An explanation why submarine attacks in the Mediterranean, which led to the Nyon Conference, were promptly stopped, was given by Lord Stanhope in the course of a debate in the House of Lords on the abolition of submarines.

After stating that the measures developed against submarines since the last war were extraordinary, Lord Stanhope said:

"I think the naval authorities feel that under ordinary conditions we can hunt out and fight submarines when we have a particular apparatus, which I won't specify, and we can make certain of finding them."

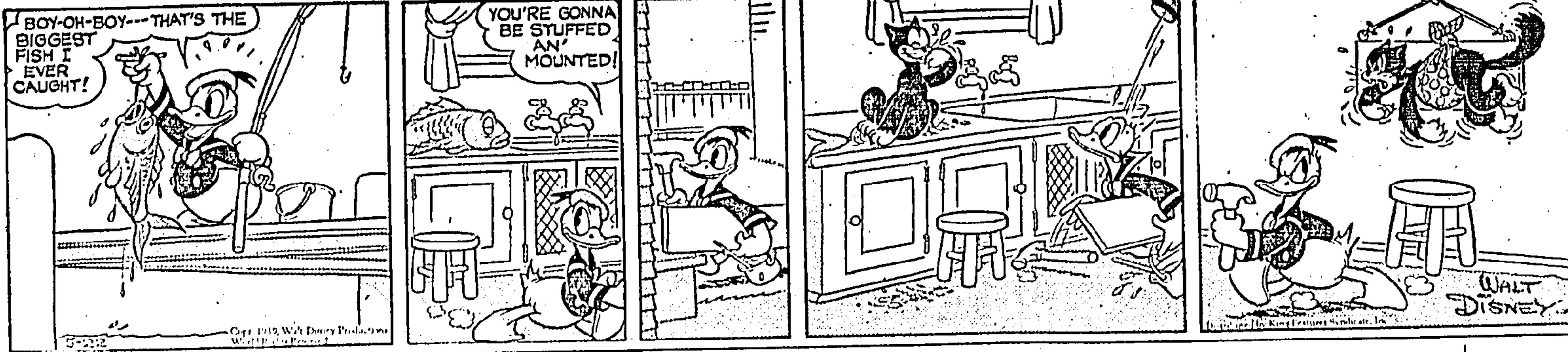
"I think that is the view of other nations. I don't think they have this apparatus or anything like it."

"When it was announced by Britain that in the event of submarine attacks in the Mediterranean continuing, we should feel justified in sinking submarines in that area, attacks by submarines promptly stopped."

Lord Stanhope emphasised that successive British Governments had on every conceivable occasion pressed for the abolition of submarines, but hitherto they had failed to achieve even a modicum of agreement with the British view.

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A FURTHER 58 European-born British subjects of Hongkong were called up for medical examination in connection with the Compulsory Service Ordinance this morning, bringing the total since yesterday to 113.

Another fifty will face the medical test to-morrow.

Those called up this morning comprised the balance of persons with surnames beginning with the letters A, B and C.

Those with surnames beginning with D and E will be called up to-morrow.

The first batch passed as fit for service yesterday will tomorrow face the Military Service Tribunal, which will commence work in the Council Chambers at 9.30 a.m.

## STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued yesterday says: "The market was extremely quiet throughout this morning's trading."

## Buyers

H.K. Wharves \$102
H.K. Docks \$104
Land & Debutantes PAR
China Lights (Old) \$7.90
Canton Ices \$1
Cements \$124
Govt. 4% Loan 102
Govt. 3 1/2% Loan 99 1/2
Sellers
China Underwriters \$1.35
Humphreys \$0
Sales
Humphreys \$7.30
H.K. Trams \$10.70
Electric \$53 1/2
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B.	S.
Antamoks . . . . .	23 1/2
Atoka . . . . .	32
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Balang Butay . . . . .	01 1/4
Benguet Consol. . . . .	10.00
Big Wedge . . . . .	.22 1/2
Coco Groves . . . . .	.23
Consol Mines . . . . .	.002
Demonstrations . . . . .	.10
I. X. L . . . . .	.47
Ipo Gold . . . . .	.17
Hurons . . . . .	.25
Mambukao Consol. . . . .	.07
Mustard . . . . .	.11
Milk . . . . .	.008 1/4
Motherlode . . . . .	.13
Mine Operations . . . . .	.13
North Camarines . . . . .	.25
Paracale . . . . .	.44

8,000 Troops  
For Malaya

SINGAPORE, Aug. 2 (Reuters). — At least 8,000 troops are being sent to Malaya from India, it is understood on reliable authority.

The first units are arriving next week, and the reinforcements are likely to remain for some time.

While some will be stationed in Singapore, a considerable proportion will be sent to Penang, which is assuming the role of a new fortress guarding the western approach to Singapore.

## U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

## LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, August 2.

New York Cotton

Opening . . . . .	Closing . . . . .
October . . . . .	9.13/14
December . . . . .	8.95/96
January . . . . .	8.70/82a
March . . . . .	8.73/73
May . . . . .	8.57/57
July . . . . .	8.38/38
Total sales for the day—	1,330 tons.

New York Rubber

September . . . . .	16.54/54
December . . . . .	16.55b/63a
March . . . . .	16.66/66
May . . . . .	16.70A

Total sales for the day—1,330 tons.

Chicago Wheat

September . . . . .	65 1/4/65
December . . . . .	65 5/8/65
May . . . . .	66 1/8

Tuesday's sales—10,298,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn

September . . . . .	42 /42 1/2
December . . . . .	42 1/2/42 1/2
May . . . . .	45 /45

Winnipeg Wheat

October . . . . .	52 1/4/52 1/4
December . . . . .	54 1/4/51 1/4
May . . . . .	54 1/4/51 1/4

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## Traffic Court

## MOTORISTS PAY FINES

## Speeding Through Controlled Area

E. O. REPRICH, of Harbour View Hotel, was this morning fined \$20 by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy for driving at 35 miles an hour in the controlled area in Nathan Road at 9.50 a.m. on July.

Mr. W. P. Thompson, Superintendent of Police, Kowloon, conducted the case for the police.

Pleading guilty, Reprich said: "I ought to say that I was driving in a strange car. I am in the motor-car business and I drive an average of six or seven cars a day, and I have never caused an accident or injury to anybody."

"In this case I would admit that my pace was 30 or 35 miles an hour, but the speedometer did not show the speed of the car. The car did not belong to me. I took it out on trial."

Mr. Thompson said that he was traveling along Nathan Road that morning and that he was overtaken by defendant's car which he thought was going about 40 miles an hour.

When defendant entered the controlled area he slowed down slightly, but overtook a bus in motion. There were pedestrians on the road and defendant appeared to "go through the lot of them."

Sub-Inspector J. Scrim said that the defendant had been driving since 1938 and that he had no previous conviction.

Before imposing the fine, Mr. Macfadyen pointed out to Reprich that the controlled area was made because there had been so many fatal accidents.

Bus Drivers Charged

Two motorbus drivers of the Kowloon Motor Bus Company were summoned before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy to-day charged with driving without due care and caution.

One case was the outcome of a Miss S. Remedios, falling down and being badly hurt through the alleged carelessness of the bus driver; and in the other, a young girl was supposed to have been hurt.

Li Chi Tong, one of the drivers, was summoned for driving without due care and caution in Waterloo Road near Homantin at 9.30 p.m. on July 14.

Mr. M. A. da Silva was in Court and stated that he was keeping a waiting brief over the case on behalf of Miss S. Remedios, the lady who was hurt, and who had laid a complaint with the Police.

Outlining the case, sub-Inspector J. Scrim said that the bus was proceeding along Waterloo Road that night. A few passengers on board the bus signalled it to stop and the bus should have done this at the stopping place at Peace Avenue.

The bus did not stop and the passengers shouted out to the conductor. Eventually, the bus did stop some distance ahead.

One of the passengers alighted and before she could get off the bus the vehicle moved away without any signal from the conductor. The woman fell down and was badly hurt in the face.

Defendant denied the charge saying that the signal was given him to start the bus.

Hearing of the case was adjourned until 12.15 p.m. on Tuesday, August 8.

## Second Case

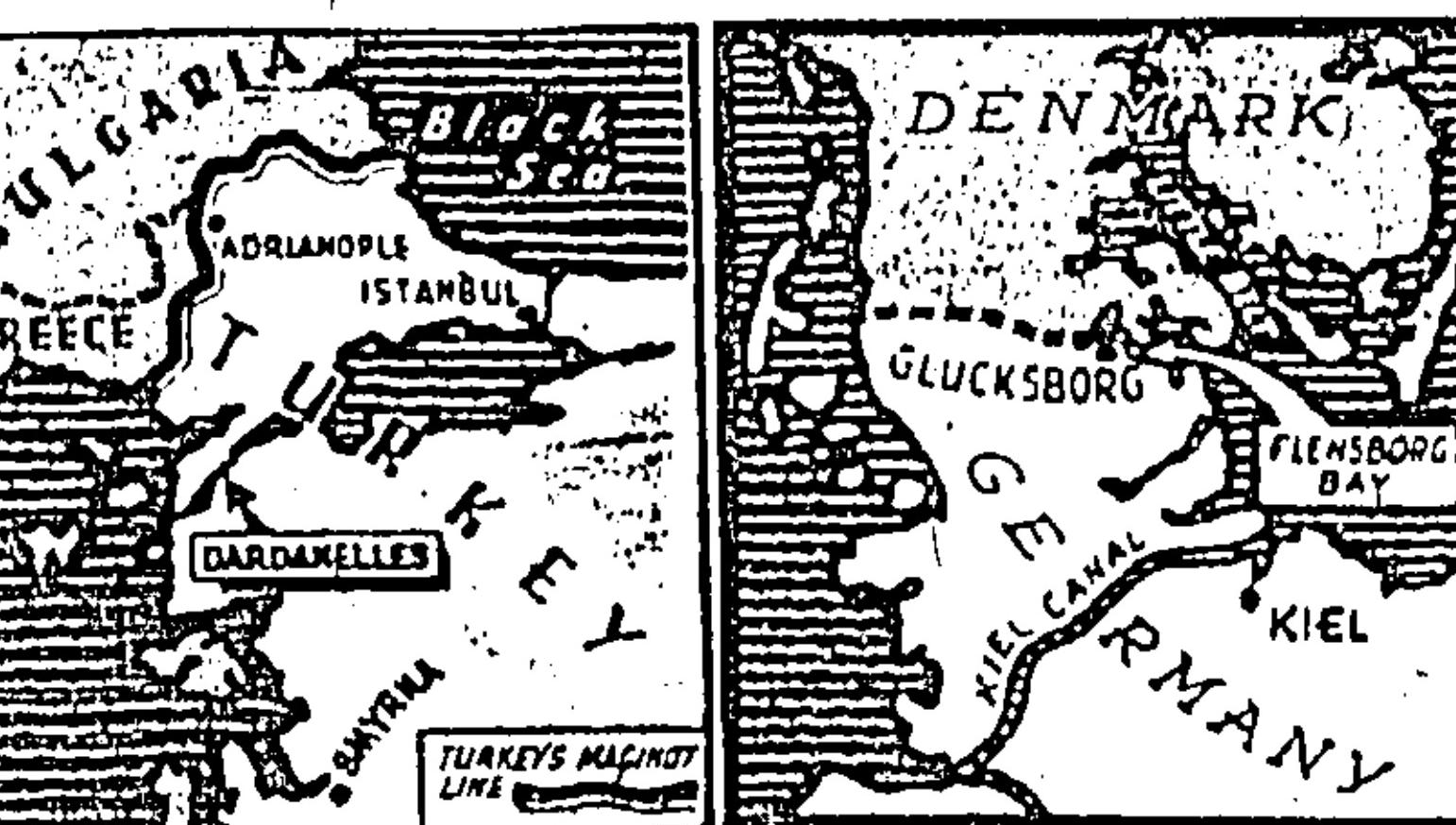
The other case concerned Pun Iu-shing, who was charged with driving a bus without due care and caution. One of the incidents was alleged to have occurred in Nathan Road near Hillwood Road and the other near the Po Hing Theatre.

Mrs. Madson of 11 Hillwood Road was in Court in connection with this case.

Hearing was adjourned to August 9, at noon.

Defendant, Sergeant M. Clark is in charge of the case.

## EUROPE'S STEEL WALLS



THE majority of Turkey's £14,000,000 defence Budget, to be used in the erection of a Turkish Maginot Line, which it is hoped will be completed this year. Three lines of fort are to be built from the Black Sea to the Aegean Sea along the frontier of Bulgaria and Greece.

GERMAN

troops have taken over the south coast of Flensburg Bay, the frontier was between Denmark and Germany. Underground fortifications are being constructed in the woods near Glucksborg and a naval station has been established in the bay and rapidly developed.

## Two Involuntary "Stowaways" in Court

## GOT DRUNK ON SHIP BOUND FOR COLONY

"We went on board the ship to see some friends off. By mistake we could not get out of the ship when it left Singapore. We were drunk at that time."

So said two Singapore Indian watchmen, Inder Singh, 45, and Balwant Singh, 20, when they appeared before Mr. E. Himsworth to-day charged with obtaining a passage from Singapore to Hongkong without permission from the ship's owners, and entering Hongkong without passports.

Sergeant Soutar said that on July 28 the two defendants boarded the

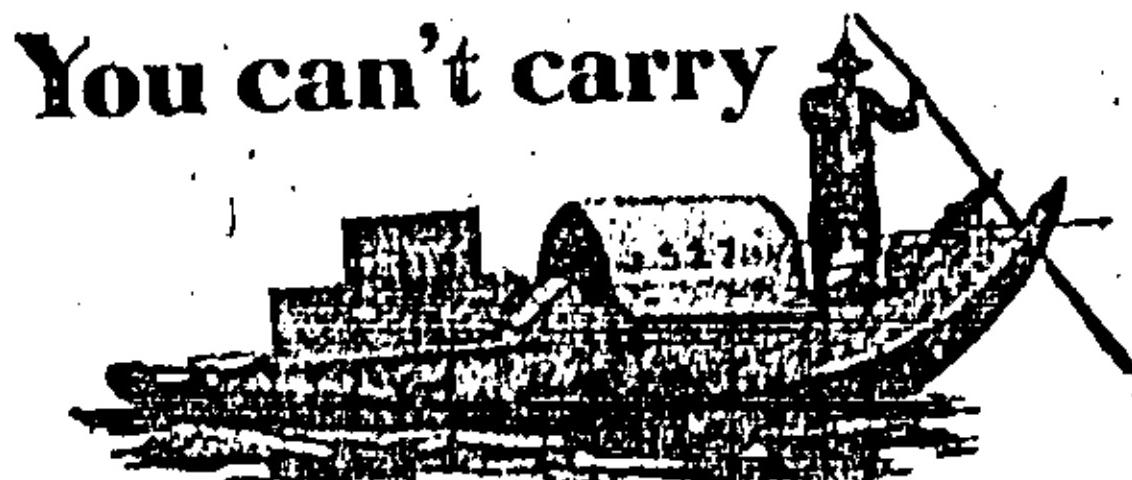
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Pres. Adams	Pres. Taft	.....	August 4.
Tanda	Somali	.....	August 5.
Shanghai and Amoy	Victoria	.....	August 5.
Tsinagara	Tsinagara	.....	August 6.

## OUTWARD AIRMAILS

For	To	Per	Date and Time
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Air Mail for "Imperial Airways—Imperial Airways Plane Direct Service"—due London 10th August	Thurs., Aug. 3.	K.P.O.	Reg. Aug. 3, 5 p.m.
Zetland via Brisbane—due Brisbane 21st August	Reg. Aug. 3, 5.30 p.m.	G.P.O.	Reg. Aug. 3, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Imperial Airways Plane Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney 11th August	Thurs., Aug. 3.	K.P.O.	Reg. Aug. 3, 7 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Taiyo Maru	.....	Thurs., Aug. 3, 7.00 p.m.
Manila, Ibadan, Australia and New Nellie	Thurs., Aug. 3.	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	Parcels Aug. 3, 5 p.m.
Zetland via Brisbane—due Brisbane 21st August	Reg. Aug. 4, 8.45 a.m.	Reg. Aug. 4, 9.30 a.m.	Reg. Aug. 4, 9.30 a.m.
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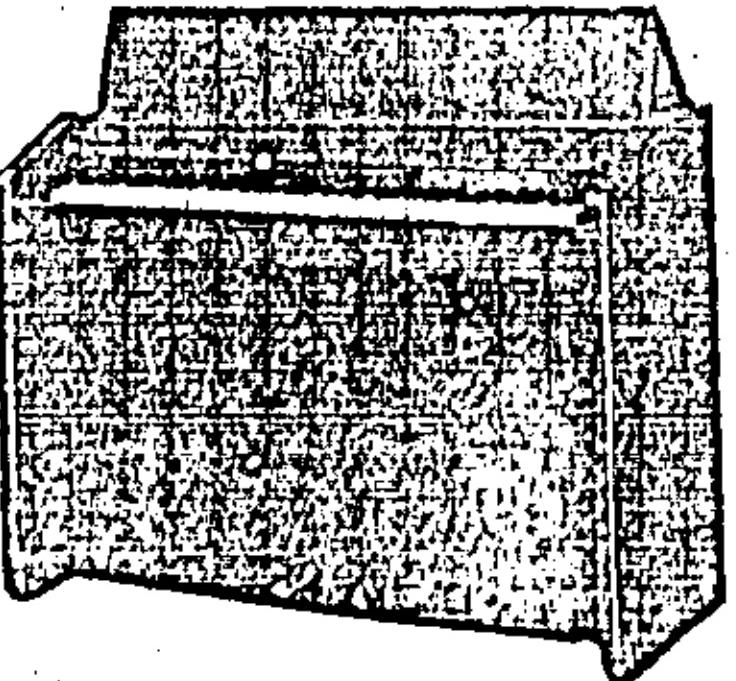
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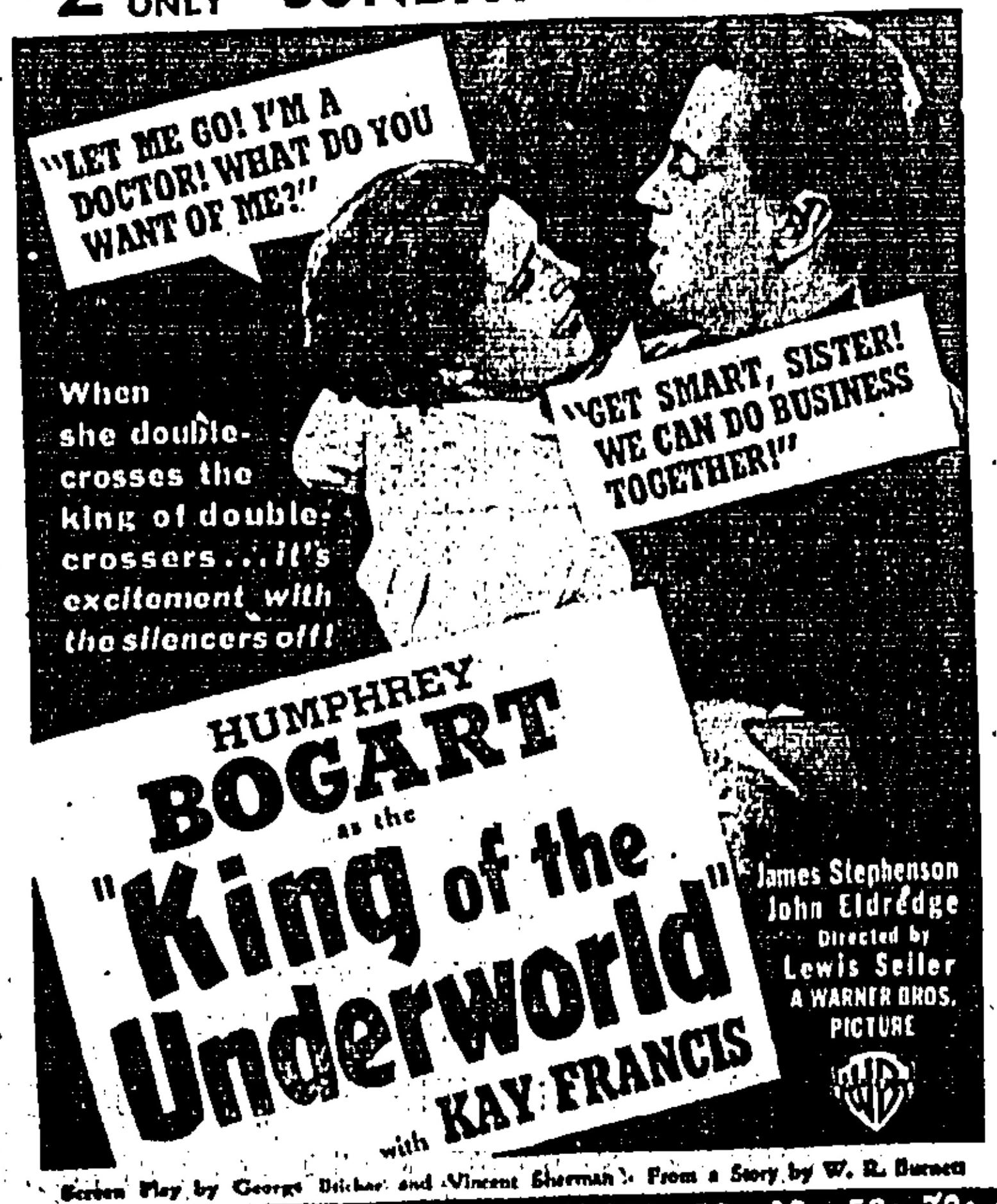
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With the invasion of Albania and control of Strait of Otranto, Italy seals the Adriatic and protects her eastern seaboard from attack.

Athens is fearful of 70,000 Italian troops in Albania and military concentrations along Greek-Albanian border; keeps own army mobilised.

Bessarabia ceded to Rumania in 1920 by Allies, but since cause of friction between Russia and Rumania. But with German influence (in Czechoslovakia) within 90 miles of Soviet border tension eases.

Dobruja ceded to Rumania from Bulgaria in 1920. Now under discussion between Bulgaria and Germany in Berlin.

Bucharest capital of Rumania governed by royal dictatorship. Rumania is most vulnerable of all European nations to Nazi penetration, and with its vast wheatfields (marked // on map) and its scarcely developed oil supplies (wells marked \*) must remain as most obvious field for Nazi economic drive. Rumania's military and air forces are relatively weak and ill-equipped. Rumania has commercial agreements with Germany and Britain (has received £5,000,000 credits from Britain this year), but is mainly dependent upon Germany for continuance of her economic life. By agreement of last March German technicians are now directing and developing Romanian industrial potentialities.

Bulgaria: now in consultation with Berlin concerning Bulgarian claim to Dobruja province from Rumania, and direct access to Mediterranean Sea from Greece.

and instructors), industry and hygiene.

(f) To provide unified modern equipment and munitions for the Rumanian Army, whose armament is at present varied and in some cases obsolete.

Any tightening of this German control means that Rumania becomes virtually a German protectorate, provides German military strategists with bases for possible action against U.S.S.R.

U.S.S.R., for long antagonistic towards Rumania over Bessarabian problems, is now friendly, watches this "buffer" State of Rumania as carefully as she watches the other "buffer" State of Poland.

Yesterday came reports of border clashes between Rumanians and Hungarians. Rumania thus becomes centre of interest again, because of its strategic position in the Balkans.

Bulgaria wants Southern Dobruja from Rumania. Germany wants control of Rumanian raw materials.

Rumania, already vitally dependent upon the economic pact signed with Germany last March, waits on drawn-out Anglo-Russian talks, sees in Italian invasion of Albania the Axis method at work, watches carefully Axis political and economic penetration in Yugo-Slavia, shares with Greece and Turkey fears of Axis Balkan manoeuvres. To counteract

Already Germany has following rights in Rumania:

- (a) To build factories, workshops, warehouses, etc., to install docks and dockyard equipment in Rumanian ports and also free zones in ports.
- (b) To construct roads and railroads.
- (c) To build electric power-and-light stations.
- (d) To conduct lumber and mining exploration and development.
- (e) To give Rumanians instruction in agriculture (the supply of tractors

# Danzig, the City of Watching Eyes

MY Polish friend Stefan Kowalski asked me to meet him for lunch.

"The railway station at one o'clock" he said, in the mysterious voice that Poles use in the Free City over the phone.

At midday it was a struggle to find a seat, though the chairs are—as hard—and the walls as bleak as in any other station restaurant in Europe.

It was then I learned that hundreds of Danzig's Poles have turned that restaurant into their club. In the Nazi city Poland owns the railways—and they feel at home.

Near our table, alone in a corner, eyeing them over a Polish newspaper sat a bullet-headed, stubby-haired young man with cold blue eyes, in a heavily set square face.

Said Stefan Kowalski, as he spread creamy Polish butter on his bread: "That Gestapo man has become quite an old friend. All we're doing is to watch each other now."

And that is the position. Poles and Germans are just watching and waiting until Hitler makes something happen. They are all sure too that if Poland does not agree to his demands for Danzig and the highway across the Corridor, he will do something. They are wondering when and how though.

Afterwards, as we walked out past the Polish letter-boxes on the walls and the Polish time-table filled with unpronounceable names, Nazi authority was suddenly thrust on us again. A stout green uniformed policeman, holding a typewritten list in one hand, was busily confiscating bundles of English and Polish newspapers.

A couple of hundred yards away again, the goals of Nazi and Polish authority clash in contrast. Facing each other across the Neugartenstreet, which roadmakers are tearing up, are the two buildings between which so many angry protests have been exchanged during the last few weeks.

On the one side, the massive red brick Nazi Senate. On the other, the grey-fronted Polish Commissariat. In the Commissariat, the professional diplomat, M. Marian Chodacki, junior representative of the Polish Government, wonders how Hitler's plans to sweep Danzig back into the Reich can be outwitted.

Opposite sits Herr Artur Greiser, purly President of the Senate, who once started the world's diplomatic representatives by thumbing his nose before the League of Nations.

Sometimes Herr Greiser thumps the table with his fist and shouts to his friends: "Ninety-seven per cent of us are Germans, so why can't we go back to the Reich?"

PROFESSOR KARL BURKHARDT, League High Commissioner, dubbed by Hitler

by

**VAUGHAN JONES**  
Daily Express Staff Reporter

from the Senate, the Commissariat, the railway, and the water-front.

There, tall gabled houses, painted pale browns and greys, yellow and greens, shadow the narrow, cobbled streets. Behind the old windows

of the red brick building, they tell you, "The Herr High Commissioner is fishing" or "on a shooting party," or "on holiday."

That is how he has earned a reputation among the Nazis for having more tact than his Irish predecessor, Mr. Sean Lester. For Mr. Lester tried to run the Free City on League lines, and that disgusted Herr Greiser and Herr Albert Forster, the local Nazi boss.

But it is not only the Poles and Nazis who watch each other. From the police headquarters the Gestapo keep an eye on everybody visiting the narrow, three-storied grey house where the Jewish headquarters are established, a hundred yards across the Neumarkt-square.

BUT the real city lies away

from the Senate, the Commissariat, the railway, and the water-front.

There, tall gabled houses, painted pale browns and greys, yellow and greens, shadow the narrow, cobbled streets. Behind the old windows

Danzig's craftsmen, her gold and silversmiths, her metal workers and wood carvers, bend over their work. Further on, among the light timbered warehouses lining the broad waterways, dozens of little distilleries brew Danzig's famous liqueurs.

Near by, stout old German innkeepers shout "Good health" as they put down glasses of schnapps on the heavy wooden tables before the sailors who crowd in during the evenings.

Outside, squads of brown-shirted stormtroopers—thick ranks full of bristling-moustached, red-faced old Danzigers—march night after night through the streets, patrolling, rousing their "Hell Hitler" and snapping up right arms more briskly than in Berlin.

On the sidewalks young men of the labour corps stroll, just back on holiday from camps all over the Reich.

Behind this show of swastikas and banners lies the power in the hands of the police and black-uniformed guards.

ONCE in far-away Geneva, the League of Nations allowed Danzig 1,000 police. Then Herr Artur Greiser "complained" that Danzig's young men clamoured for military training in Germany.

After diplomats had gathered, it was agreed to allow Danzig's police a number of "recruits." So to-day 300 recruits are established in addition in the big barracks on the Zoppot road—one, the headquarters of a regiment of Death's Head Hussars.

But Danzigers themselves will smile knowingly if you suggest there are only 1,000 of these police altogether. They will hint that it is the police, and the black-uniformed guards who might have to rise to "liberate" the city from within if Hitler should press the button.

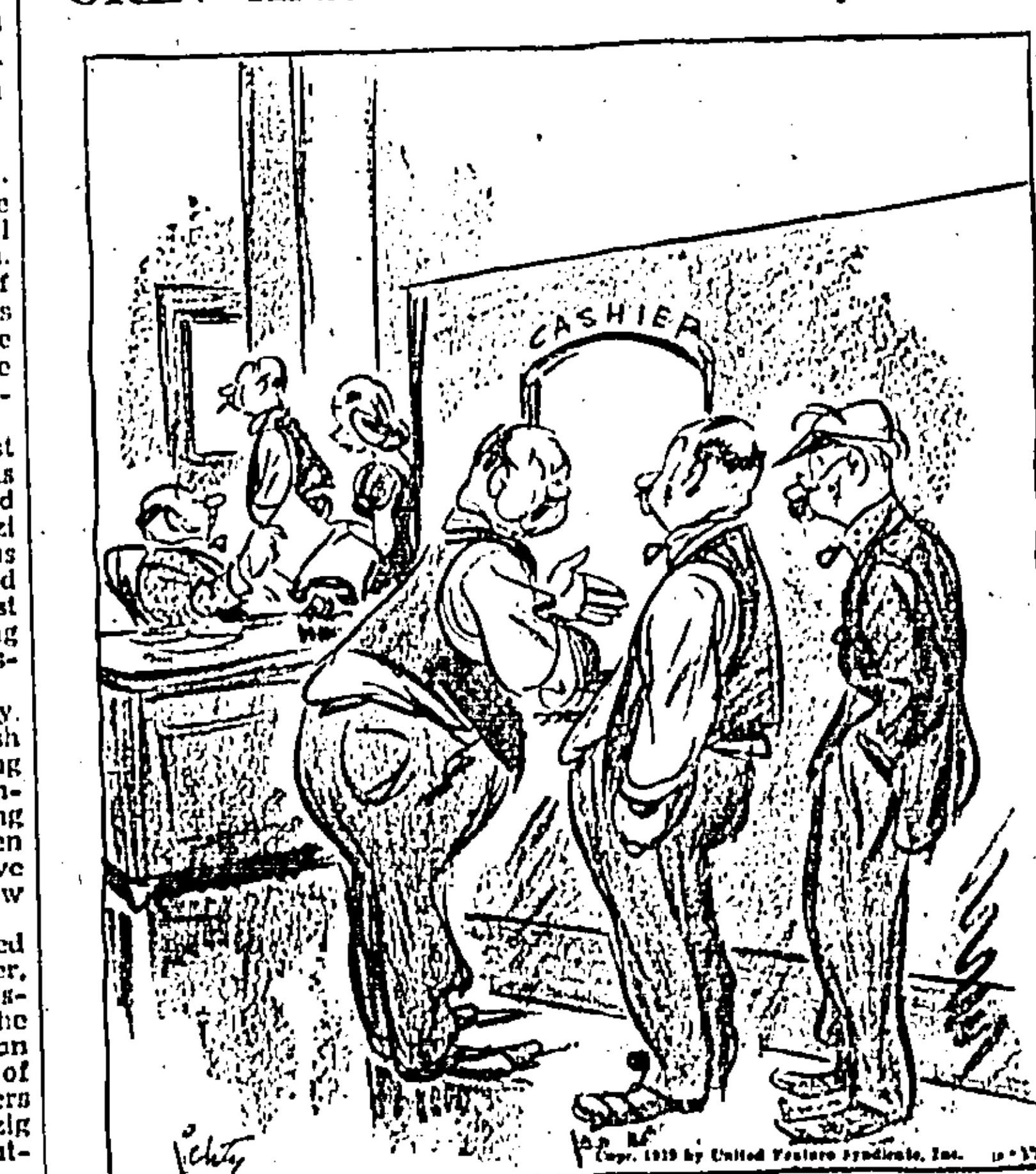
Every day squads of these green-uniformed police, steel helmets on their heads, march out with rifles and machine-guns to exercise in the fields and pine woods. And the black-uniformed guards, drilled like soldiers, march through the streets with rifles on their shoulders, openly flouting the statute, laid down by the despised League, forbidding them arms.

Just over the frontier, the silent, grim-faced Polish guards know that they would face a force as well-trained as regular troops if ever they should clash.

But for the present the Nazis keep abusing Poland and the western democracies. Now they are complaining that the presence of so many Polish Customs Inspectors is "intolerable."

They say that they have been "molesting" their German women-folk. And the Poles reply that their inspectors are necessary to prevent the Nazis smuggling arms in from East Prussia. If once one of the young fellows tickled a German

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"The wife and I fight every payday—so now I've arranged to get my salary monthly instead of weekly!"

—P. G. Wodehouse, "Jeeves and the Widow," in "The New Yorker," Aug. 1939.

Situation Worse Than Last Year, Churchill Warns

## OPPOSITION MISTRUSTS PREMIER Effort To Shorten Parliamentary Recess Unsuccessful

### GRAVE WARNING BY CHURCHILL

LONDON, Aug. 2, (U.P.).—The House of Commons, by a vote of 245 to 129, to-day approved the Government's motion to adjourn Parliament on Friday until October 3.

By a vote of 250 to 132, the House also passed a vote of confidence in the Government, defeating the Labour Party's amendment seeking to prevent adjournment on Friday in accordance with the Prime Minister's motion.

#### SHORTER ADJOURNMENT

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Chamberlain submitted a motion that the House adjourn from Friday to October 3, with the provision that the Speaker should recall the House at an earlier date if he is satisfied that public interest demanded it.

Mr. Chamberlain said that the period of adjournment was shorter than usual, the reason being that the normal business of the session had been interrupted by emergency legislation.

Parliament, he thought, had dealt with all the legislation necessary at the present moment, and the House could be assured that the country was ready for any emergency. The Prime Minister said that there were at least two reasons why the Government might feel it necessary to call the House together during the recess.

One would be if it was necessary to ask the House to pass legislation, not at present contemplated, and the other, if it was desired to have the approval of the House for measures taken or about to be taken to meet an unexpected situation.

**Labour Amendment**

Mr. Arthur Greenwood proposed an amendment, asking that the House be recalled on August 21, because of the uncertainty of the international situation.

Apart from this feeling of apprehension, said Mr. Greenwood, there was a suspicion that once the House rose the Government might take the wrong turning.

#### No Jitters

Mr. Greenwood declared: "I am not a jittery person, nor do the people of this country suffer from jitters now, but to know that Parliament would meet in three weeks' time would strengthen the spirit of the people and fortify their confidence."

"It only needs one of the great personages in Europe suffering from a bad liver to learn that German subjects had been shot in Danzig and the world was to be at war in 24 hours."

"What guarantees have we when our backs are turned that the Government will not throw in its hand on the question of the triple alliance between France, Russia and ourselves?"

"I am not saying they will, but I am saying they might."

"How does the Opposition know that the Far East is not going to be another Munich?"

#### Another Danger Spot

Mr. Greenwood emphasised that it was wiser for the House to sit until the Moscow pact was "in the bag."

Suppose Herr Hitler turned his eyes to Yugoslavia, continued Mr. Greenwood, and added that the information he had went to show that the situation there might easily become another danger spot of Europe.

Supporting Mr. Greenwood, Sir Archibald Sinclair, leader of the Liberal Opposition, said that Mr. Chamberlain's recent assurance that there should be no important departure from the declared policy carried them over.

#### Warning Words

LONDON, Aug. 2 (Reuter).—Mr. Chamberlain, in opposing the amendment, referred to the Labour speakers' suggestion that Parliament

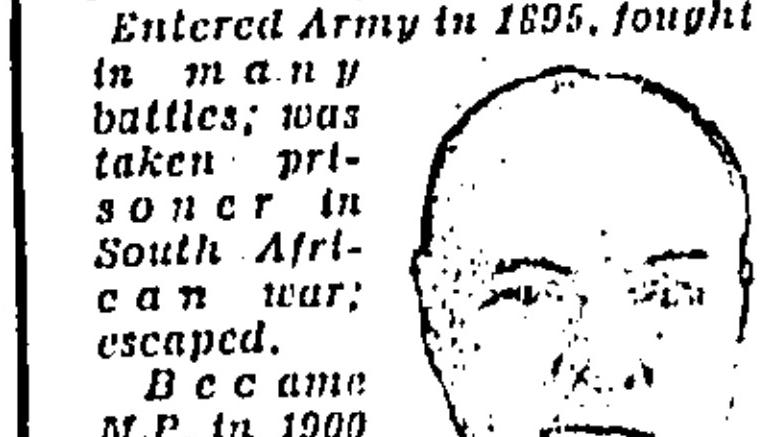
should continue to sit for another three weeks, by when they should have reached an agreement with Russia. There were some warning words in the official communiqué from Moscow, said the Premier, and in view of this fact it was clear that, in their opinion, it would not be wise to be too optimistic about reaching a very speedy conclusion.

All the arguments presented by Mr. Churchill were based upon the serious nature of the situation. Such an argument must inevitably lead to the conclusion that the House must not separate at all.

#### Danger Not Minimised

Replying to the arguments that when the House was sitting the danger of war was minimised, Mr. Chamberlain recalled that what was

**M. W. WINSTON CHURCHILL**—Author, soldier and politician. Entered Army in 1895, fought in many battles; was taken prisoner in South African war; escaped. Became M.P. in 1900 and has held many Cabinet posts, including First Lord of Admiralty (1911-15), Minister of Munitions (1917), War (1919-21), Air (1918-21), Chancellor of Exchequer, 1924-29. Is 64.



Mr. NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN has been Prime Minister since Lord Baldwin resigned in May last year. He is the son of Sir Austen.

First Whitelhall job was as Director-General of National Service, 1916. Resigned after a year. Lloyd George found him "too rigidly competent."

Entered Parliament in 1918 as Birmingham M.P. Has been P.M.G., Paymaster-General, Health Minister, Chancellor of the Exchequer.

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6 Studio—Children's Hour.

7 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.02 Light Variety Programme.

Theatre Memories (No. 1—"The Gaiety"); Intro: When I Marry America (The Tormentor); Queen of My Heart (Dorothy); A Little Bit of String (Circus Girl); Keep Off the Grass (The Toreador); Bedelia (The Orchid); Mary (Our Miss Gibbs); Brighton—(Sunshine Girl); They Wouldn't Believe Me (To-night's the Night); 305 Days (Theodore and Co.); Song of the Vagabonds (Vagabond King); Every Woman That's She Wants to Wander (Mother of Pearl); Rocking With You In My Arms (Seeling Stars);...Debroy Somers Band and Chorus; Together Again (From "Under Your Hat"—Ellie); Cicely Courtneidge and Jack Hubert with Orchestra; If You Want To Dance (From "Under Your Hat"—Erard and Bradford);...Jack Hubert and The Rhythm Brothers with Orchestra; Water, Candy and Liquor (Spanish Song—Chueca); Love in Spain (Nieta);...M. Zabala's (Barrel-Organ); The Fleet's In Port Again—Fox-Trot (Alm "O-Kay for Sound"); Debroy Somers Band; Bats in The Belfry (Flotsam and Jetsam);...Mr. Flotsam and Mr. Jetman with Piano; Dixieland—Selection; Intro: Whistling Rufus; Alexander's Ragtime Band; Deep River; Dixie; The Wedding Gilde; Oh! You Beautiful Doll; I Want to Be In Dixie; The Gaby Gilde; The Shlekt; The Ragtime Violin; That Mysterious Rag; Back Home in Tennessee;...Debroy Somers Band with Vocal Chorus by Dan Donovan; Love Never Comes Too Late (Operetta "Paganini"—Léhar); Nobody Could Love You More (Operetta "Paganini"—Léhar);...Richard Tauber (Tenor) and Evelyn Laye (Soprano) with Orchestra; Irving Berlin Waltz Songs;...What'll I Do; Always;...Miles All Alone; Russian Lullaby; Because I Love You; You Forgot to Remember The Son;...Debroy Somers Band with Vocal Chorus by Dan Donovan; Our Greatest Successes;...I'm Sorry There's Something About a Soldier; My hat's on the side of my head; We'll all go riding on a rainbow; The flies crawled up the window; Sweep; All for a smiling day; But not to-day; Gentlemen the King; Cicely Courtneidge and Jack Hubert with Orchestra.

8 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 Gershwin—Concerto In F Major for Piano and Orchestra.

Major Whiteman and His Orchestra with Roy Bargy at the Piano.

8.30 Studio—Concert by "The Harmony Three" and Hal Lorenzo.

1. (a) Dance Dolores; (b) Blue Hawaii;...The Harmony Three" with Guitar; 4. St. Louis Blues;...Hal Lorenzo (Jazz-Piano); 5. (a) Little Nell;...Novelties; (b) Harvest Moon;...The Harmony Three" with Guitar.

9 Cinema Organ.

This was due, states "Reader's" lobby correspondent, to a strong difference of opinion among back-benchers of all parties regarding the best means of achieving the purpose which is the aim of all—to demonstrate the determination of the House of Commons that the international situation should not be exploited abroad because Parliament has adjourned for a holiday.

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Two fine double successes were achieved when the Army Individual Championships were concluded, at Aldershot, yesterday.

2nd-Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regiment, R.A.) won the 100 Yards in 10 sec. and the Furlong in 24 sec., while Pte. A. G. Baldwin (Depot the East Lancashire Regt.) retained his Half-Mile title in 1 min. 58.2 sec. and also won the Quarter-Mile, beating Lieut. B. Fitz-G. Blood (2nd Bn. the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers) by inches in 50.8 sec. Baldwin had an easy victory in the Half-Mile, going away over the last 200 yards to win by two yards from 2nd-Lieut. M. G. Elliot (1st Bn. the Suffolk Regt.).

Lieut. F. R. Webster (2nd Searchlight Regiment, R.A.), the AAA champion, added an inch to the Army record for the Pole Vault, when winning that event at 12 ft. 7 in., while the best time for the 120 Yards Hurdles was equaled by Capt. O. G. W. White (The Dorsetshire Regt.).

100 Yards—2nd-Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regt., R.A.); Capt. H. Carroll (3rd Division Signals); 1st-Lieut. H. G. Miller (1st Bn. Coldstream Guards), 3 ft. 1 Yard; Time, 10 sec.

220 Yards—2nd-Lieut. H. L. Evans (2nd Heavy Regt., R.A.); 1st-Lieut. A. Richardson (1st Bn. Coldstream Guards); Lt.-Cpl. A. Pearce (1st Bn. The Royal Welsh Fusiliers), 5 ft. 3 Yards; Time, 24 sec.

40 Yards—Pte. A. G. Baldwin (Depot the East Lancashire Regt.); 1st-Lieut. B. Fitz-G. Blood (2nd Bn. the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers); Lt.-Cpl. E. P. Cheshire (The Middlesex Regt.); 10 in.; Inches, Time, 60.8 sec.

800 Yards—Pte. A. G. Baldwin (Depot the East Lancashire Regt.); 1st-Lieut. H. G. Miller (1st Bn. the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers); 1st-Lieut. H. G. Davis (1st Field Regt., R.A.); 2nd-Lieut. F. L. Lindsay (1st Bn. Royal Tank Regt.); 3 ft. 10 Yards; Time, 1 min. 58.2 sec.

120 Yards Hurdles—Capt. O. G. W. White (The Dorsetshire Regt.); 1st-Lieut. H. G. Davis (1st Bn. The Royal Northumberland Fusiliers); 1st-Lieut. S. I. Howorth (1st Bn. Royal Tank Regt.); 3 ft. 1 Pool; Time, 15 sec. (equals record).

400 Yards Low Hurdles—Capt. C. H. P. Marlington (1st Bn. The Cheshire Regt.); 1st-Lieut. J. H. Worley (1st Bn. The Cheshire Regt.); 2nd-Lieut. O. G. W. White (The Dorsetshire Regt.); 3 ft. 15 Yards; Time, 58.2 sec.

Long Jump—2nd-Lieut. R. Slater (Royal Armoured Corps); Dr. C. H. P. Marlington (1st Bn. The Cheshire Regt.); 22 ft. 6 in.; 2nd-Sergt-Instr. H. Harries (A.P.T.S.); 22 ft. 0½ in. 3.

Pole Vault—Lieut. F. R. Webster (2nd Searchlight Regt., R.A.); 12 ft. 7 in. (Army record); Lt.-Cpl. A. Pearce (1st Bn. the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers); 10 ft. 9 in.; 3.

Throwing the Hammer—Major T. L. G. Tod (Mtyl. Artillery); 150 ft. 3½ in.; Pte. C. Morris (2nd Bn. the Northamptonshire Regt.); 140 ft. 10 in.; Pte. C. Pendry (2nd Bn. the Cheshire Regt.); 120 ft. 10 in.; 3.

Pulling the Weight—Capt. J. B. H. Keay (The Queen's Royal Regt.) (holder); 41 ft. 11 in.—1st-Lieut. D. G. Brown (Training Bn. R.A.C.); 41 ft. 10½ in.—2nd-Lieut. Nelson (1st Bn. The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders); 39 ft. 10½ in.; 3.

### Match Decided In Bowls Singles

M. N. Nakken defeated J. A. R. Schly 22-9 on the Craygengower Cricket Club green yesterday in a singles championship bowls match.

### Sporting Tit-Bits

JACK Doyle, who is believed to have attracted most of the huge crowd which packed the arena at the White City recently, found himself a little over £3,000 to the good when payment of the fight purse was made. BUT, he is not quite as well off as is imagined because the British Board of Control are deducting a little item of £750 due from Doyle by way of outstanding debt. The amount also includes the board's customary 5% cut, which operates at all tournaments. All the boxers have now been paid off, they have all received more than they expected, and so everyone is quite happy.

CHARLES Hare, the Midland left-hander and Davis Cup player, has been nominated by the Lawn Tennis Association to represent Great Britain in the American Championships, which begin at Forest Hills on September 7.

**T**HIS Newmarket Second July bloodstock sales concluded July 12 the aggregate for the sales being 31,433s. Yearlings monopolized the proceedings in the final sessions when good prices were paid. The highest price, 4,500s., was by Miss Dorothy Paquet who secured the colt by Solaro out of Painic. The colt was one of a batch sent up by Major Courtfield.

**T**HIS financial position of Stoke City F.C. has never been so strong in its history, and to-day few clubs enjoy such an enviable position. This statement was made by Mr. H. Bowd, the chairman, at the annual meeting. It was stated there was a credit balance of £22,344, and that property and assets were worth £38,000.

**T**WO flying northern golfers, a professional and an amateur, made golfing history on July 12, by playing five rounds of 18 holes each in five different countries—Scotland, Ulster, Isle of Man, England and Wales. They journey from course to course by plane. They were Sidney Gleave, a Macclesfield motor engineer, and Ernest Smith, professional at Davyhulme Park, near Manchester. At Howarden, Flintshire, where the last course was played, Smith had a fine 69, which broke the course record. The terms of the wager specified that Smith, must average under 80 for the five courses. His average at the finish was just over 72.

**L**IVERPOOL F.C. has renewed for three years the contract of its manager, Mr. George Kay. Mr. Kay joined the club from Southampton three years ago. J. Seddon, the former Southport trainer and England and Bolton Wanderers central-half, has been appointed Liverpool's trainer.

### FAR EAST FOOTBALL TOURNEY Approved By PAAF Committee

**M**ANILA, July 31. The campaign for the improvement and popularization of soccer football in the Philippines is believed to have gained a decided advance with the recent approval by the executive committee of the Philippine Amateur Athletic Federation of various recommendations submitted by the Federation's football committee headed by J. M. Cleland.

These recommendations include:

1. Proposal to hold an annual or biennial tournament between the soccer playing countries in the Far East.
2. Proposal for improvement in the floodlight system of the Rizal Stadium.
3. Employment of a football coach.
4. Purchase of a football film.
5. Purchase of a magnetic football board.
6. Invitation to the Islington Corinthians.
7. Sending of a football team to the Olympic Games in Finland in 1940.

All of the above proposals have been approved by the executive committee of the PAAF with the exception of the sending of a team to the Olympic Games in Finland.

Mr. Cleland, in accordance with the recommendation of the football committee and the approval of the executive committee, during his vacation trip, made a special trip to

## STRONG M.C.C. TEAM TO BE SENT TO INDIA Sixteen Players With A.J. Holmes As Captain



The M.C.C. have invited a strong team to tour India this winter. Fit. Lieut. A. J. Holmes, captain of Sussex and manager of the last M.C.C. team to South Africa, has accepted the captaincy of the team, which includes no fewer than six amateurs.

The following players have been invited to make the trip:

A. J. Holmes (Sussex), Capt.  
H. T. Bartlett (Sussex)



Hugh Bartlett  
also in the team.

London, Aug. 2.

Doubts as to whether the tour would take place in view of the International situation have been dispelled following a consultation between the M.C.C. and the Indian Cricket Board of Control.—Reuter.

Except for a few like Wyatt, James Langridge, Gimblett, Nichols and Wellard, the others are new to International cricket. Mobey, of Surrey, for instance, is a virtual "unknown" outside of England.

Griffith, the Sussex amateur, is acknowledged as a wicket-keeper little short of the highest class.

### Two Quarter-Final Bowls Matches

At the time of writing, it seems unlikely that any bowls matches will be possible this afternoon. But if the weather clears and the greens are fit, the following matches in the quarter-finals of the Open Pairs Championships will be decided:

E. Zimmern and N. P. Karanja v. H. A. Alves and F. V. V. Ribeiro (Civil Service C.C. green).

T. E. Robson and H. Nish v. G. Duncan and W. Gill (Cowloon F.C.).

## Polo Defeat For India At Hurlingham

By R. Sheepshanks

London, July 4.

In the annual match for the Indian Princes' Challenge Shield, The World beat India by seven goals to six after extra time at Hurlingham. Queen Mary watched the match.

India, according to the handicap, were four goals the stronger side, but their opponents showed that by vigorous execution of a sound tactical scheme such an advantage can be surmounted. Their tactics were to treat their No. 1 as their scoring unit, and to concentrate their combined efforts on him, while all the scoring chances possible, Guiness, combining himself, with one brilliant exception, to defensive tactics, and the other two combining in attack to make scoring openings for Robinson.

India played a less scientific game, relying on individual dash and the scoring powers of Prithi Singh. There was very little in it so far as scoring went, for there was never a margin of more than a goal in favour of either side, but The World were certainly playing the better polo throughout, and fully deserved their victory.

**GUINNESS BRILLIANT**  
Guinness has played more showy games but never a better one. He had to deal with the persistent attentions of a first-class No. 1, and did so with a correct restraint, always making the right shot to the player in front of him and picking the right moment in the sixth period to come through and give his side the lead at the critical moment with a specially brilliant goal.

Horsburgh, Porter and Hamilton Russell were always in close touch to back each other in attack, the former, after playing a hard-working and selfless game for six periods, had the satisfaction of scoring the winning goal by a cool and rapid individual dash. Robinson took all his scoring chances, frequently outriding the opposing back, and hitting four goals; all of them good ones, and one-in-the-fifth period being scored with a great shot from 100 yards' range.

The play of India had brilliance without cohesion. Prithi Singh was their best player, and scored three goals, but he could have been worth still more to his side if he had played more to Butler, who was always in position to take attacking chances, but was not given them.

**THE WORLD:** J. P. Robinson, Capt. A. M. Horsburgh, Porter, Hon. J. Hamilton Russell, Capt. H. P. Guinness, Capt. H. Butler, Rajkumar Prithi Singh, Capt. D. Dawnay, H.H. the Maharaja of Jaipur.

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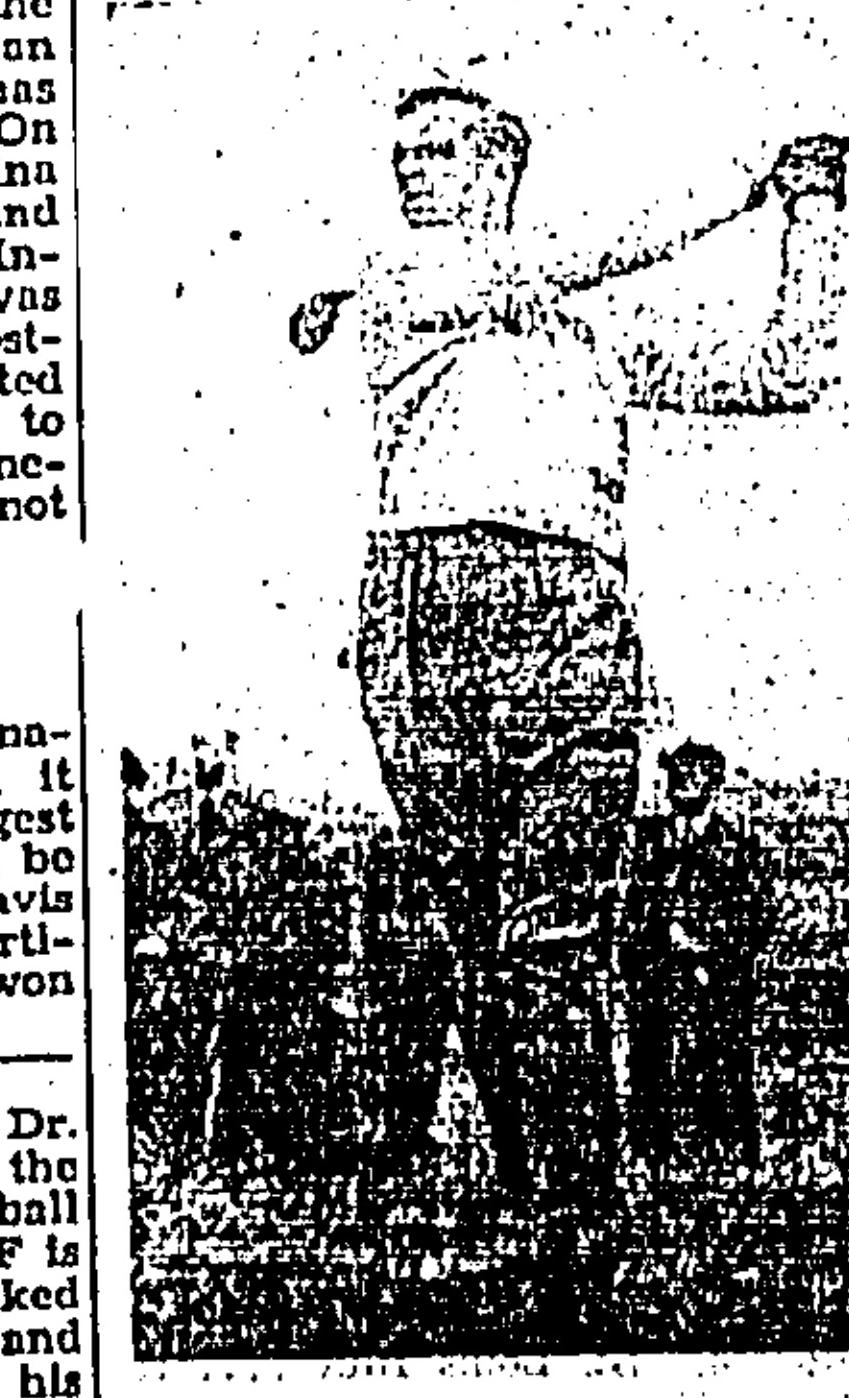
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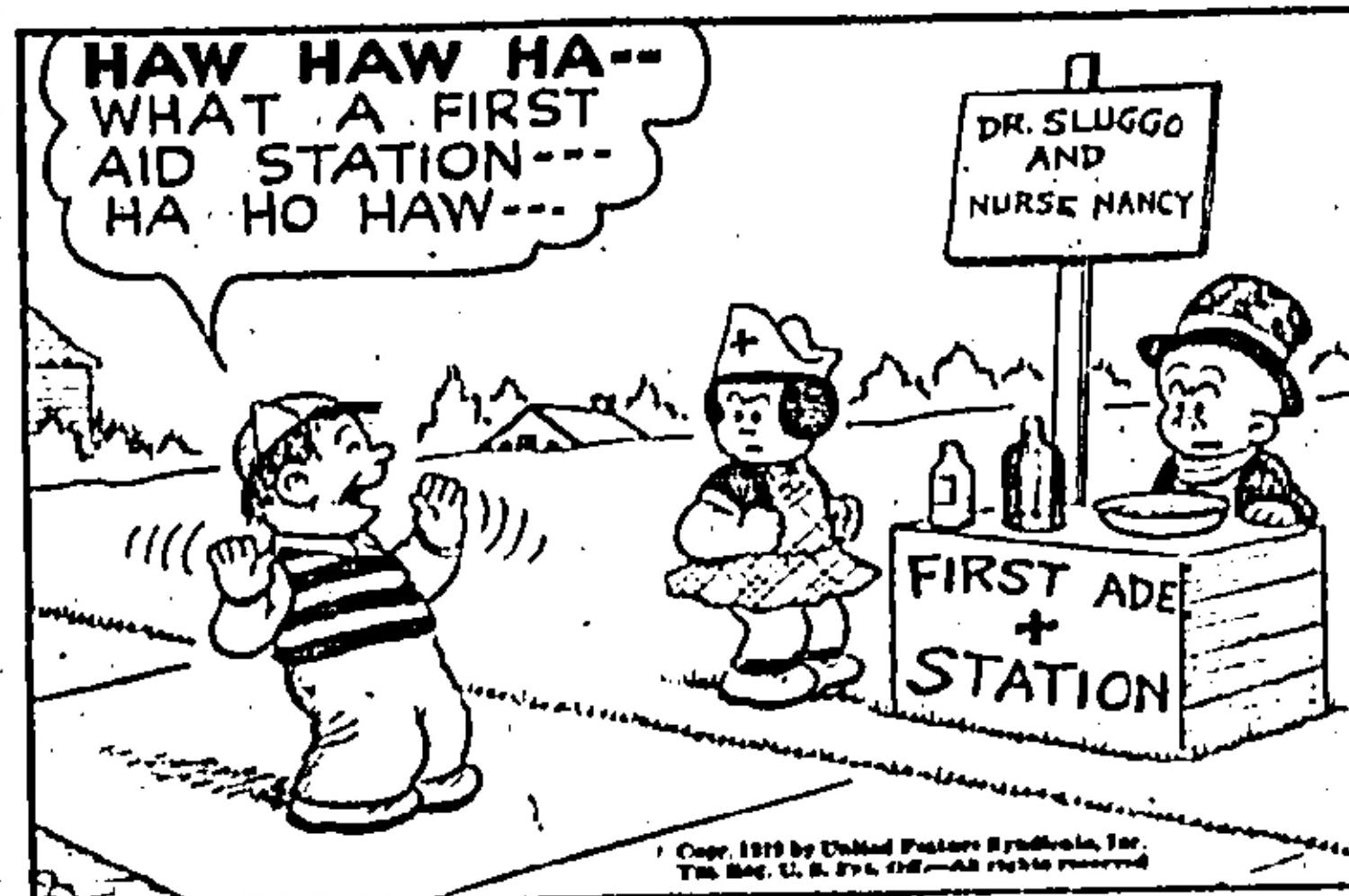
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## NANCY



By Ernie Bushmiller



JULY 5

-ERNE BUSHMILLER

## Lees Gains His First Big Golf Triumph

## Two Strokes Ahead Of Reg. Whitcombe: Four Of Last Year's Winner

London, July 21.

Arthur Lees, 31-year-old Sheffielder, won the Irish Open Golf Championship at Newcastle, Co. Down, with a score of 287 for the 72 holes.

This was his first success in a major tournament, though he has played for England, holds the Yorkshire Open Championship and has been runner-up for the German and Czechoslovakian titles.

Lees finished two strokes ahead of Reggie Whitcombe and four in front of Bobby Locke, last year's winner, who filled third place.

Thus an Irishman has still to win the Irish "Open." The main tragedy from a native point of view was the collapse of James Bruen, who got steadily worse after his brilliant 66 in the first round. His falling away is shown by bare figures, the succeeding three rounds—74, 75, 81.

## BRUNN'S "BLOWS UP"

In spite of the third round of 75 he was still in the lead. Jointly with Lees, when he set out on the last 18 holes. Then he "blew up," requiring 43 strokes to reach the turn and 36 to come back—a total of 15 shots more than he had needed on the first day.

Young G. M. White, assistant professional at the Notts club, did very well to finish fourth, a stroke behind Locke. When he returned 74 in the final round he was, for a time, the leader, but first Locke and then Lees and Whitcombe overhauled him.

White's last round had two notable holes—the 14th, where he got down from 30 yards for a 2 and the 18th, where he was bunkered in 2 but holed from the hazard for a 3.

## HOW THEY FINISHED

A. Lees (Dore) 69 72 74 72—287  
A. Whitcombe (Park) 70 73 75 75—288  
B. Locke (Lanc.) 71 73 75 75—288  
G. M. White (Notts) 72 73 75 75—289  
R. J. Brunn (Sheff.) 73 74 75 76—290  
J. Bruen (Lanc.) 74 75 76 77—291  
J. H. Ward (Torquay) 75 75 76 77—292  
W. Branciforte (Huddersfield) 76 76 77 78—293  
Bert Gidd (S. Shields) 76 76 77 78—293  
J. B. Rhodes (S. Herla) 76 76 77 78—293  
F. Kenyon (Bacchusfield) 76 76 77 77—293  
302-J. Adams (Liverpool) G. Johnson (Butwell Forest)  
D. Bullock (Holyhead) J. Burton (Hilbaldie)  
304-W. Davis (Dumfries) T. Collinge (Rhiwton Park)  
John G. McLucas (Bundoran) A. H. Padgham (Sunderland Park)  
300-W. Shamland (Temple Newsam) S. Easterbrook (Theobalds Park) G. C. G. Beck (Sherwood Forest)  
307-S. Fairweather (Malone) G. C. Hutchinson (Galway)  
309-J. Carroll (Galway)  
309-V. S. Graham (Belvoir Park)  
310-H. Large, jun (Bromborough) J. H. Kelly (Mullingar)  
311-E. F. Hill (St. Melons)

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Una Merkel and Buddy Ebsen in "Four Girls in White," showing to-day at the Queen's Theatre.

## Baseball.

## Giants Trounce Reds Again

New York, Aug. 2.

The following were the results of matches played in the Major Baseball League to-day:

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

R. H.	E.
Brooklyn	0 5
Batteries, Hamlin, Turnau and Phelps, Todd	0 0
Pittsburgh	6 7
Batteries, Bowman and Berres	1 1

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R. H.	E.
New York	12 17 0
Batteries, Lehman and Danning	2 6 1
Cincinnati	0 0 1
Batteries, Thompson, Davis, Johnson and Lombard	0 0 1

Boston vs. St. Louis; Philadelphia vs. Chicago, postponed, rain.

## OPENERS.

R. H.	E.
Cleveland	8 11 1
Batteries, Harder and Hamley	0 0 1
Boston	2 8 0
Batteries, Wilson, Dickerman, Wade, Schleuter, and Sayles, Desautels	0 0 1

Detroit

Chicago

Philadelphia

Nightcamps

Cleveland

Boston

Batteries, Hudlin, Eisenstat and Hemsky

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## OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"Hard To Get" (Kings, to-day).—

Hilarious tale of tit-for-tat that carries an auto-cump feud into the homes of the idle rich and ends with the taming of the shrew. With Olivia de Havilland, Dick Powell, Charles Winniger, Bonita Granville and Isabel Jewell.

"Four Girls In White" (Queen's, to-day).—Romantic drama set in hospital, with nurses and doctors for characters. There are extended clinical scenes and shots of a flood disaster. Florence Rice, Una Merkel, Ann Rutherford and Mary Howard are the four nurses, and Alan Marshall and Kent Taylor supply the male interest.

"Ben Hur" (Alhambra, to-day).—That old classic of "silent" days complete with sound.

"The Lady Objects" (Majestic, to-day).—Combination of murder melodrama and singing by Lanny Ross, merging as successfully as could be expected. The plot tells of the poor man married to a brilliant lawyer, Gloria Stuart is the wife.

"The Duke of West Point" (Orpheum, to-day).—Adventures of cadets at the Military Academy, recounting in particular the exploits of an athlete who incurred the censure of his fellow students but managed to win back their esteem. An ice hockey game provides the climax of the story. Louis Hayward, John Fontaine, Tom Brown and Richard Carlson have the chief roles.

"The Pillbury" (Pillsbury, to-day).—The Royal Scots have only recently taken up the American national pastime, but have been playing softball for over a year. In all probability, they will enter a team in the Softball League this fall. Their advent into this infant in the sports realm in the Colony will not be any more of a surprise than the weak attempts of some of the teams that displayed their wares last season.

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To-day's Service Game

That baseball has come to stay with the Royal Engineers is attested by the fact that these rabid enthusiasts are constantly arranging contests with experienced ball teams, one of which has been arranged to-day at 2 p.m., with the squad from U. S. S. Pillsbury, at Caroline Hill.

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The Council decided that the game

was to be replayed on a date to be

announced later, and that the same

referee and two additional linesmen

were to officiate.

The E. &amp; A. liner "Tanda" left Manila for this port yesterday morning with Australian Mills, and is due here at about 8 a.m. to-morrow.

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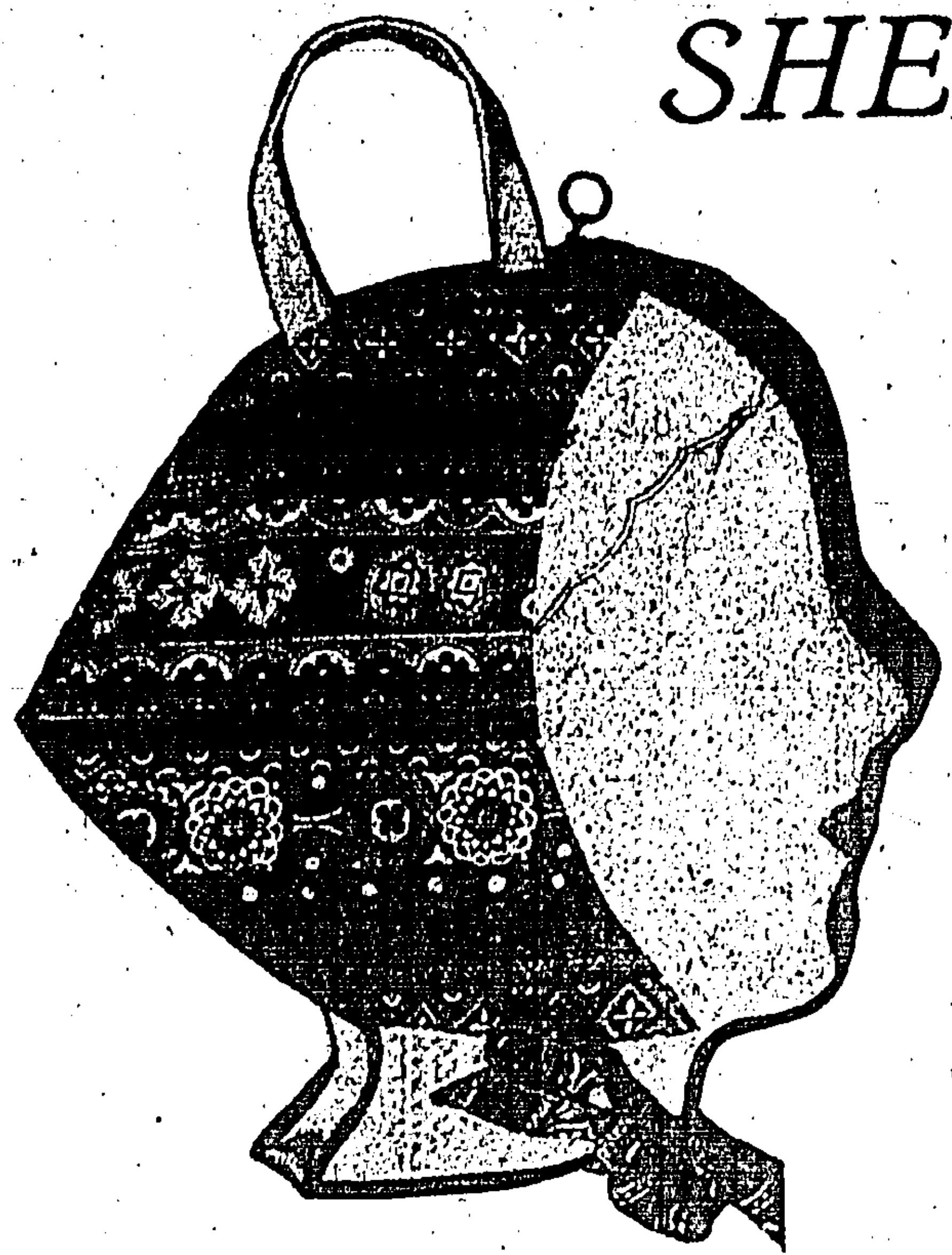
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SHE'S pretty, but dumb; for she's a beach bag. Her face is made of rubberised canvas, so she's waterproof as all good beach bags should be, and will carry your wet bathing suit without dripping protests.

Opening wide, from the top of the head to the point of the cap, the bag closes with a slide fastener, and has a large handle on her head for easy carrying.

The hood she's wearing, that ties under her chin in a big bow, is made of patterned silk stitched over the canvas. You can have it in this flowered design or in gay stripes, in a choice of several colourings—blue, wine, or brown being the predominating colours.

Her white canvas face, cut out in profile, has scarlet painted lips, and a line of stitching for hair. But the poor girl hasn't any eyes.

Though the profile and hood give the bag an amusing shape, it is really quite roomy inside, and you'll find it useful for carrying your knitting and make-up things as well as your swim suit.

**Plan Your Summer Table**

WHAT a responsibility is that of having an all-glass ensemble for a summer party without it being necessary to have all cold food, are capricious and when the dinner table must appeal as much to the eye as to the palate if meals are to be voted a success!

Table schemes that are cool and inviting, that use the fresh colours of fruits and vegetables to contrast with the clear sparkle of glass, the restful background of lace or linen, and pottery or china that has simple lines and unfussy patterning—these need careful planning.

One idea is to use all pottery and no silver or glass for your dinner table. As for colour, plain cream or a pale green or yellow shade looks effective. It is now possible to obtain little cruet sets in pottery, and tumblers in coloured or cream pottery are to be bought very cheaply.

Candleholders with coloured candles, pottery posy rings with few flower heads in them—with flowers for coloured posy rings or vice versa—are adjuncts for this scheme.

If you are using white or cream pottery, an effective contrast is provided by table mats, pastel green or yellow lace net that have a pleasant shimmer from the rayon used in the lace design. These look equally well on a table with a light natural oak surface or a mahogany table that is well polished.

**Individual Dishes**

Another notion for summer meals that are deliberately informal and "help-yourself" in character is the use of individual dishes as far as possible.

These are now to be bought in sizes for one person, and round the plates laid for each member of the family can be arranged a separate fireproof dish with individual butter and cheese dishes, glass dishes for salad or cold soups, and beakers for cold drinks that stand on a tiny individual sandwich tray. This makes it possible for people to attend a meal later without causing disturbance and without upsetting the attractive appearance of the table.

The charm and appeal of glass are too well known to need much further stressing, and most housewives realize that thanks to glass suitable for putting in the oven, it is possible

### ORANGE JELLY

THIS is an ideal sweet for an invalid. Have 1 gill cold water, rind of 1 orange, juice of 1 lemon, 1/4 oz loaf sugar, 1/4 oz powdered gelatine. Wipe the orange, and peel the rind off as thinly as possible. Put this into a lined saucerpan with the water, sugar, and gelatine. Allow to simmer slowly 10 minutes. Then strain into basin. Strain the orange and lemon juice into this, and pour into a wotted mould.

When set, turn out and serve with a little whipped cream. For a change this jelly, when cold, but not set, can be whipped till stiff, poured into a glass dish, and decorated with small slices of orange.

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## Take Care of Your Carpets

A NEW carpet should be brushed Rub this over the carpet firmly, a very lightly, and cleaned with a vacuum cleaner only very occasionally. After several months wear, the pile of the carpet will be well trodden in; it will not then need such treatment.

Spread thick layer of newspapers on the floor before putting the pet down. Even if using an underlayer of felt, put newspapers also. They will cover any unevenness in the floor, which might otherwise leave marks on the carpet.

Always roll a carpet when you take it up. Folding makes creases, and if the carpet is a steamed one, will cause the seams to stretch and come apart.

A carpet that is much trodden on should be turned round every few weeks, so that it does not become worn in just one or two places.

The pile of a stair carpet should always run downwards. If not, the pile will be brought the wrong way when the carpet is cleaned.

Always buy a sufficient length of stair carpet to allow the position to be changed. Move the carpet six or eight inches so that the part that was at the tread is against the upright of the next stair, to equalise the wear on the carpet.

When putting the stair pads in place under the carpet, be sure that the edges of the stairs are well covered, as this part gets the most wear.

If a carpet is too large for a room and you do not wish to cut it to fit, here is an easy way of dealing with it. Make a diamond cut at one corner, and bind the cut edges with carpet braid. Then you can turn two sides under, to make the carpet fit the room. When you again need the carpet in its full size, you simply sew the two cut edges together.

Should you get a fall of soot or any gritty substance on a carpet, use the vacuum cleaner to take it up. Hold the nozzle of the cleaner just above the soot; do not allow it to touch the carpet. You will find this draws up the soot without rubbing any into the carpet.

Ammonia will revive and freshen the colour of a rug or carpet that has faded. Add a tablespoonful of ammonia to a pintful of warm water, and wring out a cloth, fairly dry.

## Useful In The Home

TISSUE paper is excellent for polishing glass and tableware, giving a brilliant shine to forks and spoons.

Wipe out greasy saucepans and frying pans with old tissue paper—there is nothing more objectionable than grease in the washing-up water.

Before serving soup, lay a piece of clean tissue paper over any greasy that may be floating on the top, and the grease will be soaked up at once.

It is a good plan to stuff tissue paper into the spout or neck of crockery or silver which is being put away for the summer. This will prevent dust settling in parts difficult to clean.

White tissue paper should not be used for wrapping fine linen as being stored. Yellowish or blue tissue paper is best for this purpose.

Brown paper under a carpet will protect its life. It prevents the dust working up between the boards and making lines on under-felt and carpet; it also saves wear of the carpet if the floor boards are at all uneven.

Save all brown paper bags. They are good receptacles for dust. Insert the mouth of the vacuum cleaner bag in the paper bag before shaking out the contents, and no dust will blow about. This is a much healthier way than emptying into a sheet of newspaper.

The daily piper has a thousand uses and can save much fatigue. If used on the kitchen table when work is in progress it will save hours of scrubbing.

Refuse bins will keep cleaner if a thick layer of newspaper is placed in the bottom after each clearance.

A good shine can be obtained on the stove if it is polished with a ball of newspaper.

Fold up a newspaper and tie with string and you have an emergency coal-hanger.

If caught unprotected in a shower, make a cape and skirt of sheets of newspaper; a cap, too, if one's hat will spoil.

Put a couple of newspapers under the ironing sheet to give a smooth surface.

Cover a thick pad of newspapers with felt or card carpet and use as a mat in the scullery and wash-kitchen. Many a headache and backache comes from cold feet on draughty floors.

G. C.

## ORDEAL BY STAIRWAY



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## H. K. Stock Market

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The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Market this morning.

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H.K. Banks Ltd.	1,274 n.
H.K. Banks (H.K. Reg.)	1,277 n.
Chartered £	1,074 n.
Mercantile, A. & B. £	244 n.
Mercantile, C. £	124 n.
East Asia \$	80 n.

INSURANCES

Cantons \$	200 n.
Union \$	393 n.
China Underwriters \$	1,135 n.
H.K. Fire \$	183 n.

SHIPPING

Douglas \$	.07 n.
Steamboats \$	.15 n.
Indo-China, P.S.	.60 n.
Indo-China, D.S.	.50 n.
Shells Bearers \$	.65/0 n.
Waterboats \$	.10 n.

DOCKS ETC.

Wharves \$	103 1/4 n.
Docks \$	10.30 sa.
Previdents \$	14.30 n.
New Eng. Sh. \$	13.30 n.
Sh. Docks, Sh. \$	108 n.

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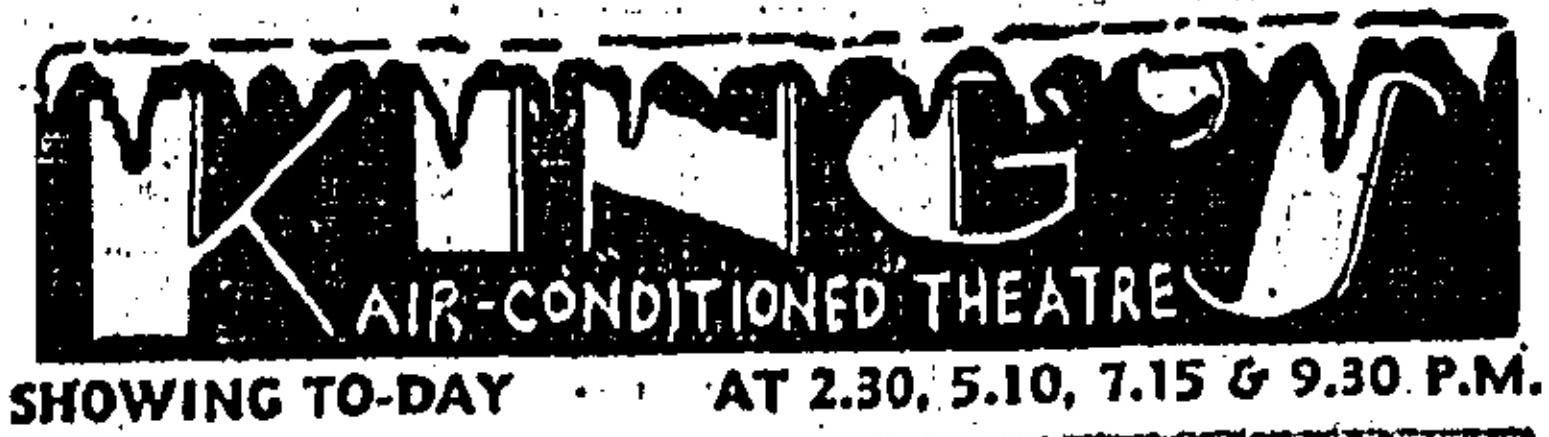
Knian s/-	15/6 n.
Raubis \$	8.40 n.
Venz. Gold \$	4 n.
Hongkong Mines etc.	4 n.

LANDS

Hotels \$	514 n.
Lands \$	343 n.
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Sh. Lands \$	1 n.
Humphreys \$	.8 s.
H.K. Realties \$	41/2 n.
Chinese Estates \$	100 n.

UTILITIES

Trams \$	10.70 n.
Peak Trams (old) \$	7.40 n.
Peak Trams (new) \$	3.70 n.
Star Ferries \$	.05 1/2 n.
Y. Ferries \$	.22 1/4 n.
China Lights (old) \$	.82 n.
H.K. Electrics \$	.53/4 n.
Macao Electric \$	.10 n.
Sandakan Lights \$	.12 n.
Telephones (old) \$	.76 n.
Telephones (new) \$	.18—



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CORPORAL Jin Matsuzaki's ambition was to kill 500 Chinese single-handed, but he's returned to Tokyo from China with his aspiration only half realised.

He claims he has killed 251 on the battlefields of North China, says a "Domei" report.

Corporal Matsuzaki claims that he did most of his slaying with a trusty sword, a family heirloom, which he was carrying at his side when interviewed.

The soldier was most disappointed with his performance and said: "I killed 251 Chinese soldiers, but that is far short of the number I had in mind. I vowed to dispose of 500, and I am sorry that I did not realise my aspiration."

The soldier added that he was sent to China two years ago and did most of his fighting in North China, while he has also seen service on the Manchukuo border.

Pugnacious Corporal Matsuzaki commented: "It is a source of regret to me that I had no opportunity of tackling the Russians."

**LATE NEWS****LADY NORTHCOTE FRACTURES ARM**

BAD LUCK HAS ATTENDED LADY NORTHCOTE'S RETURN TO THE COLONY.

SHE FELL THIS MORNING SUSTAINING A FRACTURE OF THE LEFT FORE-ARM.

The "Telegraph" understands that Lady Northcote, who returned from England yesterday, was unpacking at the time of the accident, which occurred at Government House.

She slipped and fell on the left arm, which broke at the wrist.

Lady Northcote was immediately taken to the Queen Mary Hospital for treatment. She will not, however, remain in hospital.

She will be unable to undertake any engagements for some time, an official at Government House told the "Telegraph" this afternoon.

**Japan's General Staff Meets**

TOKYO, Aug. 3. (Reuter) — A joint conference of the General Staff of the War Office yesterday afternoon discussed the aggravation of U.S. feeling towards Japan, the Mongolian-Manchu border issue, and the Anglo-Japanese conference.

The War Minister, Vice Chief of the General Staff and the Inspector General of Military Education are conferring today.

Official circles suggest that the issue of a military alliance with Italy and Germany is again pressing.

**31 T.B. Cases**

A further 31 cases of tuberculosis were reported to the Health authorities yesterday bringing the total to 4,000. More than two-thirds of the total cases occur in the Victoria residential areas.

Five cases of dysentery, six of cholera and one each of diphtheria and typhoid were also reported.

**COLLEAGUE STABBED****Quarrel By Apprentices Leads To Fight**

Convicted of a charge of maliciously and unlawfully inflicting grievous bodily harm on Yuen Sau-ki, an apprentice in the Man Kee Engineering shop, Lockhart Road, on July 24, another apprentice, Kwan Leung, was bound over in the sum of \$50 for a year by Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday. Kwan

was alleged to have stabbed Yuen in the back with an iron paint scraper.

Dr. H. Li, of the Queen Mary Hospital, said he examined Kwan on July 25, and found a swelling on the left side of the head. There was also a superficial scalp wound.

Replying to his Worship, Dr. Li said it was possible for the scrapes to have been caused with a spanner. There were some abrasions on Kwan's back, but these were probably caused by the youth either falling on the ground or against some hard object. In his opinion, the blow which had caused the swelling was only a mild one.

Mak Kan, a tinner, who had previously given evidence of seeing a fight between the complainant and defendant, in which both struck at each other with iron implements, yesterday said he did not hear Kwan say anything to Yuen before the latter called out in pain after he had been stabbed. Witness did not hear Kwan say he was prepared to end his life that evening.

Detective Wong Sik, who had also given evidence previously, said he saw blood all over defendant's face and asked if he had been fighting. Kwan began to cry and witness naked for the master of the shop, but found he was out. He also asked the other tanners why they had not attempted to stop Kwan's bleeding.

Witness saw Yuen go to a machine where he began sharpening a chisel. Witness' attention was diverted to the cockpit where the other tanners were. He next heard Yuen cry out and saw Kwan holding a paint scraper in his hand. He arrested Kwan. Witness was in the shop for about three minutes and did not hear the youths exchanging words.

Stabbed in Retaliation

Defendant said he and Yuen were engaged on work on a printing machine on July 24, and when he was unable to lift the machine, Yuen sarcastically asked him "where his prison in view of his age."

Before binding Kwan over, his Worship told him that if the wound had been a bit deeper, he might have found himself on a much more serious charge. He was, however, reluctant to send the defendant to

**Five Men On Trial For Murder**

A further remand of one week was ordered by Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning, when five men appeared before him on a charge of murder.

The defendants were Wang Yin, 22, Tang Loi, 25, Chan Lam, 19, Wong Kee-shan, 23, and Chung Kwai-sheung, 29, and they are charged with the murder of Li Si in Main Street, Shauwah, on July 22.

Mr. F. H. Loseby is representing Wong Kee-shan, and Mr. C. A. S. Russ appeared for Chung Kwai-sheung.

Detective-Inspector L. R. Whant is in charge of the case.

Yuen had gone to, and accused him of pretending. Yuen then struck at him with a spanner. As defendant got to his feet, Yuen struck him with a hammer, so defendant picked up the paint scraper and stabbed Yuen in retaliation.

Questioned by Sub-Inspector W. N. Darkin, who prosecuted, Kwan denied he had refused to help Yuen in lifting the machine. He admitted he had not stabbed Yuen while they were fighting. Yuen, he declared, was watching him out of the corner of his eyes after the fight.

Replying to his Worship, Dr. Kwan said he struck Yuen because he feared the latter would attack him again.

Concluding Kwan, his Worship said he was satisfied that a considerable interval of time elapsed between the time defendant was struck and the time he stabbed the complainant. There was, therefore, no question of the stabbing being in self-defence. However, there was a certain amount of provocation, and he took that into consideration as a mitigating factor.

His Worship asked Tang Man, master of the shop, if he would take Kwan back into his employment. Tang said he was unwilling to do so, Kwan was always quarrelling with the other tanners.

Before binding Kwan over, his Worship told him that if the wound had been a bit deeper, he might have found himself on a much more serious charge. He was, however, reluctant to send the defendant to

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